Weather
Fine and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 92.2 and the minimum 73.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 94.2 and 77.7.

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The Mail Box
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, P. Jackson, 10.30 a.m. tomorrow.
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STRESEMAN IS EAGER TO LET WORLD COURT DECIDE ISSUE

New Chancellor Takes Strong Stand Against French

FRENCH TO REPLY

Paris To Get Out "Yellow Book" To Answer British Note

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Aug. 14.—A Yellow Book well be published shortly replying in detail to the British Note.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 14.—An expression of willingness to submit the Ruhr question to the International Court of Arbitration is one of the chief features of the Chancellor, Dr. Stresemann's speech in the Reichstag today, outlining his policy. He further said that the new Government had been formed on a very broad Parliamentary basis, and would be the strongest Cabinet against any idea of violation of Germany since the Republic had been established. The passive resistance of the Ruhr population was deeply rooted in the firm conviction of the justice of its cause. This had just been unequivocally recognized by the British Government, and they might assume that the statement of the British standpoint would find an echo in France and Belgium. The Government did not doubt that any impartial arbitral decision would restore the Ruhr to Germany.

The Reichstag passed a vote of confidence in the new Government by 240 votes to 76, with twenty-five abstensions.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 14.—Dr. Stresemann only vaguely referred to the possibility of resumption of reparations after unrestricted administration of the Ruhr had been assured to Germany, all imprisoned Germans had been released and Germany had been given breathing-space, and "provided that the burdens imposed would permit continuance of the economic life of the State and the further development of the nation." He finally referred to the necessity of restoring order at home, and appealed to all classes to support the gold loan. He declared that it was the duty of the Government to satisfy the demand for stable currency. He declared the demand for a stable basis for wages justified. The Chancellor in conclusion said: "He only is lost who surrenders himself. We have a right to believe in Germany's future, and it is our task to secure it."

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, August 15.—While the Hamburg police were proceeding to Wilhelmsburg to relieve the police station which was beleaguered by strikers, the latter attempted to block their progress by a volley of stones. The police responded with revolver fire, killing three and wounding eight.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 14.—Communists today attempted to erect a barricade to prevent the passage of tramcars to the East End. They fired on the police, who returned their fire wounding four persons.

(Reuter's Service)

Duesseldorf, Aug. 14.—The French have seized 50,000,000,000 marks at Wittlen.

(Reuter's Service)

Aix-la-Chapelle, Aug. 14.—Centuries of Communists, accompanied by cyclists, patrolled the town today. A number were arrested, upon which the Communists attacked the police-station. The German police threw hand-grenades and emptied their carbines and revolvers into the crowd. Mounted police made a charge. Sixty demonstrators were killed and wounded.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Aug. 14.—In spite of the strenuous efforts of the Communists, the collapse of the general strike is imminent. The gas works are still idle but work has been resumed at a number of power-stations. Trams and

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Smiles from the Mixed Court

BY J. L. BUTTS

A peaceful and law-abiding family residing on the North Honan Road were having a quiet little evening with the dominoes a few nights ago when a couple of strangers knocked at the door. Finally the knocking was heard and the callers were admitted.

The duo announced that they were officials authorised to make a search of the premises and seize a quantity of opium which was believed to be hidden there. The head of the household smiled blandly and told them to search away. They searched, and found nothing in the drug line. The head of the household smiled still more blandly. This seemed to enrage his visitors. They made proclamation to the householder that, whereas the household had deceived them by not containing any opium, the matter would have to be made right by a payment of about $70, large money, as salve for injured feelings. But in the meantime a member of the aforementioned household had gone out and rounded up a regular policeman and the latter chivvied the pair over to the station, and thence to the Mixed Court, thereby procuring them five months apiece.

FAULTY COSTUMING

Li Ah-fong, unemployed and very much down at the heel, was caught in the act of removing the bright and shining private ricsha of Mo Yeng-piau from before the latter's residence in North [illegible] Road.

Asked for explanations in the Mixed Court, Li deposed that he was under the impression that the ricsha belonged to a friend of his and, having seen a motor car approaching from a point a couple of blocks down the street, he thought he ought to remove the elegant vehicle of his friend which, while costly and beautiful, was still no match for a snorting motor car.

The Court couldn't seem to synchronise Li's appearance with his story about an affluent friend and laid the prisoner beyond the lure of rickshas for 30 days.

NO IMAGINATION

"What's in the parcel?" demanded the Chinese Police Constable on duty at Markham Road Bridge of an anonymous party who chanced to be crossing the span at 4:30 a.m. in a sort of hesitant manner. The anonymous party's response was a sudden relinquishment of the parcel alluded to and a rapid self-effacement through the medium of an adjacent alleyway. The packet when unwrapped was found to contain about $500 worth of opium. This was ordered confiscated by the Mixed Court yesterday.

Five Foreigners And 185 Chinese Died Last Week

Five foreigners out of a foreign population of 20,900 and 185 Chinese out of a population of 820,000 died in the International Settlement last week according to the report of Commissioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis.

Returns of communicable diseases during the same period included one Chinese with smallpox, three foreigners and 12 Chinese with cholera, six Chinese with typhoid fever, two foreigners and 18 Chinese with tuberculosis, two Chinese with dysentery and 13 Chinese with acute diarrhoea.

CURZON TAKES CURE

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Aug. 14.—Marquess Curzon is at present undergoing thermal treatment at Bagnolles in France.

Court Dismisses Charges Of Jewelry Larceny Made Against Miss Trevor-Smith

Young Shanghai Girl Acquitted By Magistrate G. W. King In British Police Court

Charge of the theft of Tls. 800 worth of jewelry brought against Miss Frances Margaret Trevor-Smith by Carmen Kupsch, a minor were dismissed by Magistrate G. W. King, in the British Police Court yesterday at the conclusion of the case.

The decision was given after counsel for defense and prosecution, Mr. K. E. Newman and Mr. Eardley Maitland respectively, had summed up and after one of the police witnesses, Inspector Reeves, had been recalled and had given brief testimony regarding the local sales of gold bags and bangles such as those offered in evidence. Two or three such bags were sold each month by one local firm, according to the testimony, while the bangle was of Chinese manufacture.

Mr. Newman, for the defense, addressed the Court at length and Mr. Maitland summed up briefly, relying chiefly upon the testimony given by the Kupsch children and by Mrs. Guignard, their grandmother.

In giving judgment Magistrate King stated that in this charge of larceny he had power to try the case summarily, and he would do so. It was not an enviable task, but he would not shirk the responsibility involved and if necessary, find a verdict that might end in the defendant's ruin. He was not going to deal with the case at great length.

The evidence given by the children and Mrs. Guignard was that the jewellery produced in the court was that of Mrs. Kupsch. The prosecution also showed that the bangle was found at 35 Connaught Road, where the accused was residing. The two gold bags were found in the safe at the office, and the bag which previously contained a ring was found in defendant's house. Regarding the evidence given on these points for both sides, if a jury found that the balance of evidence was level they would take other facts into consideration.

An important point that must be considered was that of motive. In most cases of theft people stole in order to gain and make something out of it. The prosecution had not suggested that the defendant had stolen for gain, but the motive of display might influence the defendant. A jury, in trying such a case, might say that in London the defendant might steal the jewelry for display, but she would not do so in Shanghai, for the jewelry would be seen on her by her friends, and it might in consequence be recognised. Defendant knew that she was under suspicion, and yet she deliberately told the police that two gold bangles had been stolen. Was that the conduct of a wicked girl? In view of all the circumstances, the prosecution had failed.

COOLIDGE AND CABINET ARE READY TO AID IN GERMANY

Willing To Take Part In New Effort To Reach Solution

NO DIRECT HELP

Interests Of American People Are Paramount, View

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, August 14.—President Coolidge presided over the first Cabinet meeting today. All the Cabinet officials now in Washington have agreed to serve in their present capacity.

It is authoritatively stated that, so far as Marquess Curzon's reparations plan accords with Mr. Hughes' suggestion, the Government is ready to plan its part in a fresh determination of the economic conditions in Germany. President Coolidge's administration adheres to the tradition, laid down in the speech by Mr. Hughes in December, that the Government does not see any way open to offer direct aid in the present crisis, but will readily respond to any appeal for aid from abroad where help can be given with due regard to the interests of the American people. The President does not see occasion to call a special session of Congress before the regular December session.

88 Foreigners Faced Charges Last Month

Eighty-eight foreigners were summoned or arrested and charged last month for various offenses according to the July report of Commissioner of Police K. J. McEuen. Of the 88, 30 were for infractions of the traffic laws. Other charges were as follows: Attempted suicide 2, embezzlement 2, false pretenses 1, forgery 1, fraud 3, larceny 6, malicious damage 1, municipal bye-laws relating to dogs 9, to food 1, to hotels 1, to ice and ice cream 1, opium and noxious drugs 1, arms 3, begging 3, disorderly conduct 4, drunk and disorderly 13, loitering with intent 1, obstruction 2, returning after expulsion order 1, vagrancy 1, and various 1. A total of 7,808 people of whom 7,720 were Chinese, were arrested, summoned or charged during the month. Of the foreigners 32 were fined, 23 sent to jail and the others dismissed, deported or the cases were withdrawn.

Mme. Sun Yat-Sen Christens Aero

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, August 13.—Aeroplanes built by the Canton Aviation Corps having after several tests proved a success, Mme. Sun Yat-sen today christened the first machine ever built in South China.

The factional fighting in the Heungshan district has resulted in the ousting of the magistrate.

COAL COMMISSION ATTEMPTING TO SETTLE STRIKE

Congressional Committee Works On Federalisation Plan

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Washington, Aug. 14.—The Coal Fact Finding Commission appointed by President Harding and headed by John Hays Hammond, the famous engineer, today issued an invitation to miners and operators to attend a tripartite conference in New York on Wednesday in a final effort to avert a strike in the bituminous mining industry threatened to begin September 1 unless higher wages are granted.

In the meantime Congressional committees are continuing their work in preparing a bill federalising the coal industry of the United States.

In the report of the Coal Commission, made after an exhaustive 9 months study of the situation from all angles the commission asserted there must be an end not only to profiteering in coal, but of coal famines such as the United States experienced last winter.

The most important recommendations of the committee were:

"The Commission recommends at this time no punitive legislation. It awaits with interest whether

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PEKING TO PAY CAPTIVES, BUT REJECTS PLAN FOR R'Y GUARD

Dismissal Of Named Officials To Be Postponed

WANT INQUIRIES

Railway Supervision Is "Infringement Of Sovereignty"

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 15.—At a meeting held at the Waichiaopu yesterday, the following decisions relative to the Lincheng Note were reached for submission to the Cabinet:

(1) Acceptance of the demands for compensation; (2) dismissal of the named officials will be postponed for consideration with the local authorities; (2) the Government will do her utmost to prevent a recurrence of such an outrage; (4) foreign supervision of the railway police and guards will not be acceded as an infringement of sovereignty.

(Reuter's Service)

In the full text of the Note on Lincheng presented by the Diplomatic Corps to the Waichiaopu it was stated owing to a typographical error that the amount of compensation demanded in respect of the foreign traveller killed was $90,000. The amount should have been $20,000 as was stated in the telegraphed summary.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 12.—The Cabinet has instructed the several ministries affected by the Lincheng note to give it consideration in conjunction with the Waichiaopu. Mr. Wellington Koo has been entrusted with the duty of dealing with the matters raised.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 14.—The latest intelligence shows that Mr. D'Arcy Weatherbe, the British engineer in the hands of bandits in Yunnan, is sick. The negotiations for his release have reached a deadlock because the bandits demand ransom and arms before handing him over.

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Aug. 12.—The Commissioner of Foreign Affairs of Hankow is understood to have recommended to Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan that until circumstances improve, foreigners should be advised not to travel in the bandit-ridden districts along the Hupeh-Honan border such as Yingshan, Suihsien, Kingshan, Siangyang and Kwanghua. It is further suggested that the issue of passports for those districts should be restricted for the time being.

Another Town On Tsinpu Railway Raided By Bandits

Tsinanfu Hears Villagers Were Massacred By Outlaws

Chuchow, Anhwei, Aug. 14.—Kuching, a town about one mile from the Sancha Station of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, was pillaged by a large gang of bandits last night.

The desperadoes were equipped with rifles. After ransacking homes of all wealthy families in the town, they decamped with twenty captives, eight of whom are women. They declared that if not ransomed after a certain date, the women prisoners will be sold as slaves.

The bandits are being pursued by one battalion of troops under the command of Major Wu Ta-ao. Reports received at a late hour this evening state that the brigands are being surrounded at Chang Pa-lin, a famous bandit lair. Major Wu has wired to Pengpu for reinforcement.

Tsinanfu, Aug. 14.—Sensational reports of massacre of villagers and arson committed by bandits

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The Earl Of Northesk's Bride

Jessica Brown

THE beautiful Jessica Brown, New York dancer, and the youthful Scottish Earl of Northesk, formerly an officer in the Coldstream Guards, had quite a time before they finally became man and wife. They were refused a license to wed in New York, following the declaration of her ex-husband, Cyril de Witt Reinhard, that her divorce is not legal. Just as they were all prepared to go to Canada for the wedding and had achieved considerable publicity, they discovered they could be married in Chicago. And so now the poor little beautiful dancing girl is the Earl's bride.

3 MILE LINE NO PROTECTION, IF SHIP IS 'GUILTY'

New York Court Delivers Hard Blow At British Vessels

(Reuter's Service)

New York, August 14.—The following significant decision was given by the Federal Court today, upholding the action of the government in seizing the British vessel Marion Mosher off Fire Island on July 27:

"When a British vessel hovers around the American coast, although three miles from the shore, with intent to violate the laws, and is caught in the act of smuggling or attempting to smuggle intoxicating liquors, and it is shown that it is having contact with the shore, its seizure, though of foreign registry and outside the three-mile limit, is justified."

Rakowsky Denies Britain's Charges

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 14.—The question of Britain's acceptance of M. Rakowsky's appointment to London is still unsettled.

According to a telegram from Riga, M. Rakowsky in a statement denies the utterances against the British ascribed to him by the foreign press.

He proclaims himself an advocate of the closest economic co-operation between Russia and Britain and he considers that the present time is most favorable for the participation of British capital in the recovery of Russia.

M. Rankowsky departed for Berlin today and hopes soon to go to London.

Motor Bus Falls Into Ravine, 23 Die

(Reuter's Service)

Tarbes, Pyrenees, Aug. 14—Twenty-three Dutch pilgrims to Lourdes were killed at Saint Sauveur today owing to their charabanc falling into a ravine. The driver was trying to avoid a woman in the road.

DECLINES POST

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, August 12.—It is understood that General Chang Huei-chih will not accept the post of Minister of War, and that it will be offered to General Chin Shou-tseng, Vice-Minister of War.

200 MINERS ARE ENTOMBED IN WYOMING MINE

Kemmerer Soft Coal Pits Scene Of Bad Explosion

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Kemmerer, Wyo. Aug. 14.—More than 200 miners are entombed as a result of an explosion in the Kemmerer Coal Mines today and fears are felt a number of rescue workers attempted to go to their assistance.

The Kemmerer mines are the largest soft coal mines in the Western United States, supplying the entire intermountain country with commercial coal as well as providing the Oregon Short Line railway. The town has a population of 1,500, all of whom are connected in some way with the mines. Most of the miners employed are Italians, Austrians and Czechs.

In addition to two large mines in Kemmerer there are large shafts at Cumberland, South Kemmerer, Sublet and Diamondville, all coal mining towns within a radius of two or three miles.

(Reuter's Service)

Kemmerer, Wyoming, Aug. 14 (Later).—Of the 135 miners entombed 29 have up to the present been recovered, but 70 dead have been counted.

(Reuter's Service)

Kemmerer, Wyoming, Aug. 14.—As a result of an explosion this morning in one of the Kemmerer pits, 200 miners are entombed.

To Investigate Seizure Of Land

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 12.—The Government has ordered Mr. Chen Hao-seng, of the Waichiaopu, and Mr. Li Keng, of the Ministry of Finance to proceed to Harbin to investigate the seizure of land on the Chinese Eastern Railway by the Chinese authorities.

It is pointed out that as the Three Eastern provinces do not recognise the Central Government the Government can do little beyond investigating.

CORRECTION

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, August 14.—President Harding left $750,000.

U. S. TO SPEND $ 115,000,000 ON PACIFIC NAVY BASES

Will Expand Three Stations On Pacific Coast

OPPOSITION

Measure To Go Before Congress In December

(BY UNITED PRESS)
(Special To The China Press)

Washington, Aug. 14.—Acting Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., today approved plans of the Navy Department's committee of experts for the spending of G.$115,000,000 to be expended over a period of twenty years to develop naval bases on the Pacific Coast and in Hawaii.

The naval bases selected for improvement are declared to be excellently situated so as to give the utmost service in the event of need, and to also be further expanded in time of war.

Strong opposition to the bill is certain to be made when it is presented to Congress and it is expected that the fight on it will begin from the opening session in December. The bill has also many strong supporters, especially among the Administration senators and representatives.

Three naval bases on the Pacific Coast and the Pearl Harbor Naval station near Honolulu in the Hawaiian Islands are believed to be the chief beneficiaries under the administration bill. The Pearl Harbor station is still in the process of construction and when completed will be one of the most powerful stations in the Pacific Ocean and adequate headquarters for the American naval forces in the Pacific in the event of any war. The Bremerton navy yards in Washington, the Puget Sound base of the Navy, are already highly efficient in every department and able to handle the largest ships on the Pacific. The naval station near San Diego in Southern California is also thought to be one of the stations to be expanded, and, if the Navy Department follows its present practice, will be the homing place for naval aircraft.

Today's messages do not refer to the other base to be developed. At the present time there is a base at Mare Island but there has been considerable agitation among San Franciscans to have the Navy construct their new powerful base planned for near San Francisco at Alameda. Last advices from the United States did not give information as to whether the Navy would construct the proposed base at Alameda or not. It is quite possible that the question of the location of the proposed Alameda base will figure largely in the discussion of the bill when it comes before Congress.

Ex-Captives To Give Tiffin To Wen Shih-Tsung

Commissioner of Foreign Affairs Wen Shih-tsung of Nanking, who did such effective and deserving work in connection with the release of the foreigners held captive by the Shantung bandits, will be the guest of honor at a tiffin to be held at the Union Club tomorrow noon.

Mr. Wen will be in Shanghai only one day and it is proposed that the ex-captives present to him the silver memento similar to those to be presented to Mr. Carl Crow, who was in charge of the relief work, and Mr. Roy Anderson, the man most responsible for the captives' release.

Mr. Anderson, after the release, said that if it had not been for Wen Shih-tsung's work the release of the captives would have unquestionably been delayed indefinitely.

GENERAL BRUCE SEES CHINA'S RUIN IN TUCHUN RULE

Thinks People Really Desire Monarchy; Urges Powers To Act

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 15. Strong measures to suppress Tuchun rule is the principal feature of a scheme propounded by Brigadier General C. D. Bruce in a letter to the Times for the solving of China's present problem of disintegration. He says that, if nothing is done, distegration by the Tuchuns will soon be an accomplished fact.

The still existing possibility of the unification of China cannot survive many more years of Tuchun misrule. The writer expresses the opinion that, next to the British, the Chinese are the most truly democratic nation in the world. They enjoyed a monarchical government like the British for centuries, and he doubts if any Asiatic nation can flourish as a Republic. Brigadier-General Bruce believes that, if it were possible to carry out a referendum in China, restitution of the monarchy would receive millions of votes, and that that would best suit the country's present condition. But he realists that it is for the Chinese to evolve their own Government and for the foreign Powers to aid them in upholding it.

He proposes that the Powers should tell the Central Government that it should hold each Tuchun responsible for the lives of foreigners and for safe travel, and omit the foreign Powers should back up Chinese measures to deal strongly with them within two years; and also to provide money for gratuities to and reassimilation into civil life of the Tuchuns and their disarmed adherents.

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 15.—The Times in a leading article, does not believe that the Note from the Powers to China will have the slightest hitch and says that it is transparent and is "make gee" in the land of "make see". The journal criticises the formality of phrase and argument of the document which, the journal says, deceives nobody in China and nobody out of China who does not want to be deceived. The Times says that the Note might be deemed satisfactory had the signatories stated how and when they propose to carry out their stated firm determination. The terms are hardly worth immediate discussion at present. They are only empty words which will not greatly move the phantom Chinese Government or the very real and active Tuchuns and brigands.

The Times endorses Brigad General Bruce's proposals to deal with the Tuchuns. The paper urges the signatories of the Four Power Washington Treaty to adree and act promptly unless they are content to see China sink into an abyss while discussing measures for her preservation. Time, it declares, is the main factor in the problem.

Rumor British Concession At Hankow Expires

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, August 12.—There has been a report that as the lease of the British Concession in Hankow expires in October this year a certain Chinese organisation is being formed to advocate the policy of taking back the Concession and placing it under Chinese control. It is also reported that this society is working with a similar organisation in Tientsin in order to make a joint appeal to Peking not to grant a further lease on the British Concessions in Hankow and Tientsin.

As the above news has circulated for a short time in local vernacular papers, a Chinese news agency states today that the news has been connected by certain foreigners with a view to instigating an anti-British or anti-foreign movement thereby causing the present strength of the boycott to be abated.

FOREIGNERS FINED

As a result of a disturbance on Nanking Road on Monday when they broke a big plate glass window in Lane Crawford's and caused a disturbance in the Palace Hotel bar Mr. R. R. Roxborough and Mr. Samuel Howard were fined $20 each by Magistrate G. W. King in the British Police Court yesterday morning.

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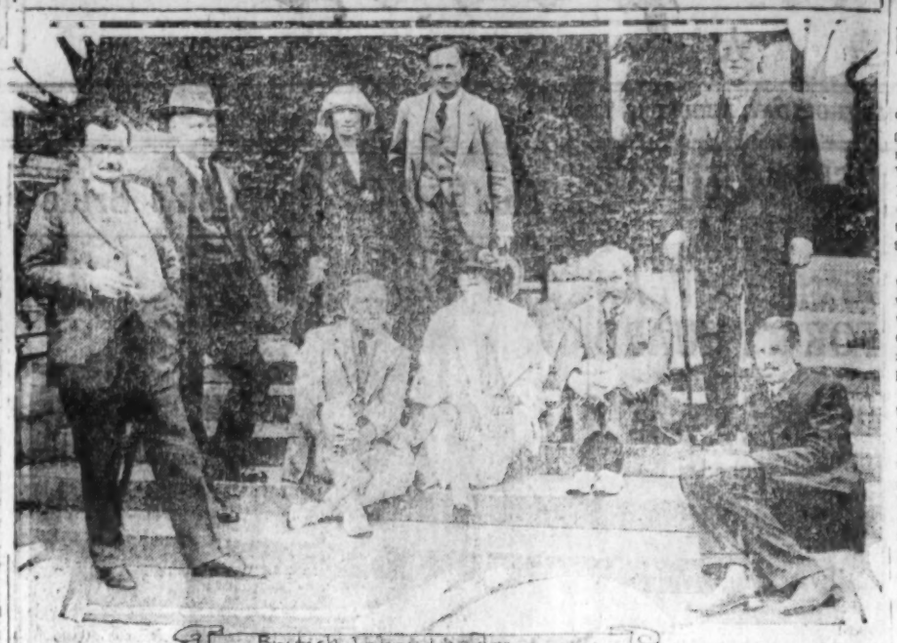
Labor Leaders Have Outing At Mansion



British Labor Leaders

LABOR leaders in Great Britain have been quick to take advantage of the offer of the Countess of Warwick, immensely wealthy Socialist, to use her country mansion, Easton Lodge, near Dunmow, to rest during their vacations and over the week-ends. In a recent gala day of the leaders this picture was made on the steps of the lodge. Left to right, standing, Otto Wells, Canon Aderley, Mr. and Mrs. Shinwell and Will Thorn. Seated, left to right, Arthur Henderson, Countess of Warwick, Ramsay MacDonald and Rudolph Bretsche.

Peking To Pay Captives, But Rejects R'y Guard

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last week at Yencheng reached here yesterday.

Wreaking vengeance against the village whose volunteers had on several occasions repulsed attacks by bandits and made captives of them, the brigands rallied the outlaws from different localities and made a raid on the place, defended only by a small number of militia. The cowardoes, upon entering the village, killed everyone they met and set fire to all buildings with the result, it is said, that over 1,000 inhabitants were massacred and hundreds of buildings razed to the ground. The survivors escaped to neighboring towns in a pitiful plight.

The Provincial Assembly has addressed a strong protest to the Military Governor, General Tien Chung-yue against the negligence of the provincial troops. Indignation is expressed that with a standing army of one division and eleven mixed brigades, the military authorities of Shantung should have failed to cope with the brigands so that the Lincheng outrage was soon followed by another at Yencheng even more horrible.

The popular organisations have also sent telegrams to Peking voicing their protest against the provincial authorities.

The bandits, it is understood, demand that they be reorganised into one division. In the event their demand is not complied with, they declare that they will attack the Lun-Hai Railway.

Consul Unable To Find Fr. Malotti

Hankow, Aug. 14.—The Italian Consul-General called on Mr. Chen Cha, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, at Hankow, yesterday, ascertaining the whereabouts of Father Malotti, who was captured by banuits.

The Consul stated that it was impossible to forward things to Father Malotti and the parcels recently dispatched were returned undelivered.

Mr. Chen's attention was called to a report that the Honan bandits might flee Southward. The Consul said that if the report was substantiated, Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan should be requested to permit the Honan troops to enter Hupeh to assist in the suppression of the desperadoes.

Band Program

The following program will be played by the Municipal Band in the Race Club enclosure this evening beginning at 9 p.m.

1—March, "Children of the Regiment" ..... Fucik
2—Overture, "Era Diavolo" ..... Auber
3—Waltz, "Souviene Toi" ..... Waldteufel
4—Divertissement for Clarinet Solo ..... Ir Triske
Soloist: Mr. V. Dramis.
5—Selection, "The Arcadians" ..... Monckton
6—Waltz, "Dream of the Ball" ..... Joyce
7—Gavotte, "Moonbeams" ..... Cobb
8—Selection, "The Pirates of Penzance" ..... Sullivan

A. de KRYGER,
Assistant Conductor.

NOTE DISCUSSED

(Reuter's Peking Service)

Peking, Aug. 15.—The Cabinet yesterday discussed the Note with reference to the threatened war between Chekiang and Kiangsu and decided to inform the Powers that there is no danger of an outbreak of war.

RUSSIA SIGNS

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, August 14.—M. Jordanski on behalf of Russia today signed the Straits Convention, concluded at Lausanne.

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FIGHT PICTURES AT ST. GEORGE'S DRAW BIG CROWD

Through the medium of the camera local fight fans this week are privileged to sit at the ringside of the Firpo-McAuliffe and Willard-Johnson fights — the locale hereabouts being the St. George's Open Air Cinema, where the films were put on for the first time last night.

The fight pictures have been reviewed in these columns previously and it only remains to repeat that they are among the best of their sort ever seen here. In addition to the straight-away reproduction of the battles there are "slow-motion" inserts showing the determining blows and more exciting stages in every detail.

In addition to the fight pictures the B.A.T. films of Shanghai cricket players are a feature. They include action pictures of Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, Dr. W. E. O'Hara, Willie Clifford, Hayward and Leach, the players demonstrating the various strokes used in the game.

Pictures of the Shanghai Fire Department drill, showing Chief M. W. Pett's men in competition are also shown.

Other films show the new Yankee Stadium, home of the New York American ball team. All around, it is a program which should appeal strongly to the sporting fraternity in Shanghai. There was a large attendance last night and indications are for similar crowds throughout the four nights.

Del Monte Manager Discovers His Porch

The new show at the Del Monte last night gave further proof of the claim of the management that the entertainment offered by the Avenue Haig cafe is the best in the East, including the Near East and the Far East. The sixteen girls go through what the ballet master calls a "Night Fantasy" and you have to see it to realize how fantastical it is.

The Del Monte is now featuring an entirely new discovery, to wit, the porch. Al Isreal discovered the other night that a flock of customers were sitting out on the porch, enjoying what Jud Wellver, the famous Washington correspondent, once called the coolth, thereby confounding the dictionary sharps. Well, seeing all this mob on the porch Al immediately concluded they were all waiting for cars to go home, difficult as it is for Al to understand why anybody should ever leave the Del Monte.

Looking again, he noticed they were all partaking of hamme an' eggses.

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TWO JOBS FOR CHANG

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Aug. 14.—Mandates appointing Mr. Chang Hu Minister of Finance and concurrently Tupan of the Salt Administration and Director of the Currency Bureau were issued this afternoon.

Four Entertainers Every Night At The Crest Hotel

The Four Cristoffo's opened their engagement at the popular Crest Hotel last night in a very good bill of acrobatic, comical, character and classical dances. The Christoffo's give a complete variety program every night and judging from the applause they received on their initial appearance last night they will prove a popular attraction at the Crest during their engagement. Mr. Frank Hyde, the proprietor, also calls attention to the fact that all liquors served at the Crest are purchased from the leading European firms in Shanghai.

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131st MONTHLY DRAWING of $2,000 PREMIUM BONDS
August 15th, 1923

TOTAL REIMBURSEMENTS	$112,959
representing 25% of	$451,836
being premia for the month of July 1923 on total of Bonds	37,653

The Drawing took place at the Head Office of the Society, 7 Avenue Edward VII, Shanghai, in the presence of Mr. E. H. BOOTH and many other bondholders, Mr. J. BEUDIN, Managing Director, & Messrs. SETH, MANCELL & McLURE, Auditors.

The reimbursements drawn will be paid at the Head Office or at any branches or agencies of the Society.

Result of Drawing

Reimbursements		Drawn by Fonds Numbered								
1 of	$ 18826	2532 Cumulative Progressive Reimbursement Drawn by Chinese Bondholder at Peking						equal	to	$ 18,826
18 „	$ 2,000	3579, 17070, 25569,	4111, 18331, 27327,	7935, 21196, 31086,	8952, 21265, 32031,	10432, 24670, 32288,	15532, 24681, 37187,	„	„	36,000
18 „	$ 300	604, 8611, 23263,	705, 9597, 24140,	1614, 13651, 24435,	4858, 19328, 25156,	6823, 21186, 26384,	7784, 22610, 35956,	„	„	5,400
18 „	$ 200	3292, 15993, 31121,	4188, 16990, 31448,	4406, 23065, 33963,	4799, 23536, 35109,	5032, 25581, 35217,	7137, 25756, 36812,	„	„	3,600
18 „	$ 100	837, 12729, 27809,	3546, 20606, 29411,	4298, 21515, 29469,	4878, 26923, 30639,	7785, 27177, 32736,	11882, 27421, 35318,	„	„	1,800
1 „	$ 1653	18830	...	...	...	...	...	„	„	1,653
1 „	$ 240	34578	...	...	...	...	...	„	„	240
1 „	$ 175	8150	...	...	...	...	...	„	„	175
1 „	$ 85	7432	...	...	...	...	...	„	„	85
3765	of $ 12	Terminating with No. 6			...	...	...	„	„	$45.180
3842	Reimbursements Totalling				...	...	...	„	„	$112,959

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PRES. JASCKSON TAKES U.S. MAIL TOMORROW

Next Mail Comes On Grant On August 23

With mail for America, the President Jackson will be dispatched from the China Merchants Central Wharf at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and is due to arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on September 2. The vessel will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong this afternoon, and is to dock around 2.30 o'clock.

The President Cleveland, the next mail boat for the States, will leave for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu next Saturday, and the Tenyo Maru is sailing for the same ports this evening. The Tenyo is due at Woosung from Manila early this morning, and the tender with incoming passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty around 9.30 a.m. The outgoing tender with passengers and baggage for the Tenyo will leave at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Following the arrival of the President Pierce yesterday morning the next mail from America will arrive on the President Grant August 23, and the Empress of Asia is coming from Vancouver a day later. Mail from Europe arrived on the P. and O. steamer Dongola, which docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Tuesday evening. The Pierce will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 5 o'clock this evening.

Taking mail for Europe via the Suez, the M.M. liner Chambord will sail from the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and passengers may embark at the Wharf after one p.m. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before noon today.

The P. and O. vessel Kashmir, another mail boat for Europe, will sail for London early Saturday afternoon, and the tender with outbound passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 12 noon. Heavy baggage to be delivered to the lighter at the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Hakone Maru will also sail for Marseilles and London at daybreak Saturday, and the tender conveying passengers to the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Seven Killed In Accidents Last Month

Accidents increased last month over July, 1922, according to the monthly police report made yesterday by Commissioner of Police K. J. McEuen. In July, 1922, 4 people were killed and 110 injured in 258 accidents while last month 7 were killed and 173 injured in 333 accidents. Of the four killed in 1922 three were killed by motor cars and one in a tram accident. Last month six were killed by motor cars and one by another vehicle. Last month 41 were injured in tram accidents, 94 by motor cars and 38 by other vehicles.

Japanese Residents Tender Reception To Consul-General

Some five hundred leading Japanese residents of Shanghai gathered last evening at the Japanese Club for a reception given in honor of Mr. S. Yada, new Consul-General for Japan.

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Charge Shops Serving Poor Grade Ice Cream

Eight samples of ice cream served in places patronised by foreigners to a large extent were examined in the Municipal laboratories during the week ending August 3 and found wanting, according to a report made by Commissioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis in today's Municipal Gazette.

The places whose ice cream fell below the standard are:

Blanchi's, 23 Nanking Road.
Central Dining Rooms, 13 Nanking Road.
Sweetmeat Castle, 16 Nanking Road.
The Palace Hotel.
The Astor House Soda fountain.
Astor House dining rooms and grill rooms.
Sugarie, 53 North Szechuen Road.
Marco Polo, 45 North Szechuen Road.

In addition a list of Chinese places are given which indicates that Shanghailanders, to be safe, should not eat ice cream in Chinese stores or shops.

Straw Braid Hong Is Gutte In Blaze

A fierce fire, though of brief duration, broke out at about 9:30 o'clock last night in the congested district to the west of Honan Road and south of Canton Road. The blaze started in a straw braid and piece goods establishment situated well back in an alleyway and had got a good start before the alarm was turned in.

Central Division of the Fire Department after an hour of strenuous work got the flames under control, but they had spread along the rear of other shops causing some little damage in the meantime, principally to a Cantonese foodshop adjoining the braid hong, which latter was gutted. Only the efficient work of the brigade prevented a much more serious fire. The origin of the blaze could not be determined last night.

Parliament To Hold Formal Meeting Here On Sept. 1

An official opening of the Shanghai session of Parliament will be held on September 1, it was announced yesterday. The meeting will take place in the spacious hall of the Chung Hwa Vocational Educational Association, West Gate. Ten more members arrived in Shanghai yesterday and registered with the headquarters in Frenchtown.

GAMBLERS FINED

The Mixed Court exchequer benefited considerably yesterday as the result of a raid made by Chief Inspector Kerrigan and other police officers the day previous on a gambling den at 60 Pakhoi Road.

In all 39 arrests were made, but only the man alleged to have been conducting the gambling and another who was evidently a professional bailor for gamblers, appeared in court. These two were fined $100 each and the other 37, who failed to appear, forfeited $10 each.

C.P.S. Steamers Not to Call At Honolulu

Plans of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company to have their liners Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia call at Honolulu, on their outward voyages from Vancouver to the Orient during the period from next November to March have been abandoned, according to a cable dispatch received at the Shanghai offices of the company. No reason for the action was given in the dispatch, it being merely stated the steamers will continue on their regular direct route from Vancouver to Shanghai throughout the coming winter.

It is said, however, the action has come about as the result of the American liquor regulations which prohibit steamers from entering American ports with liquor on board for public distribution. As Honolulu is an American port no vessels can enter there with liquor aboard and this excludes the Canadian liners as they carry liquor.

The Canadian line had planned to run these steamers to Honolulu to take part in the heavy travel to that place but with the rigid liquor regulations in force the difficulties of such action have been greatly increased and would make necessary that the steamers leave Vancouver practically dry and remain that way until they reached Honolulu. The entire voyage from Honolulu to Japan would be "bone" dry. Only a small amount of liquor could be taken out of Vancouver as it would have to be disposed of before the steamers reached Honolulu.

As a result of this decision there will be no changes in the C. P. S. schedules.

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Streetman Is Eager To Let World Court Decide Issue

(Continued from Page 1)

underground railways are running. Traffic on the State Railways is almost normal. Attempted demonstrations in various parts of Berlin have been suppressed by the police.

The situation has become worse at Stettin where the dockers have struck, and a number of shops have been plundered, especially butchers and bakers' shops.

The Communists are stirring up the peasants with the result that strikes have broken out in fifty estates in the Soldin district. Partial strikes are reported in numerous other places.

The Communists' appeal for a general strike at Leipzig has failed.

Communists attempted to occupy the industrial town of Seitz, where nine Communists were killed and thirty persons wounded, including several policemen, in a fight with the police.

Five civilians were injured in a collision with the police at Hamburg.

Order has been restored in Luebeck.

Australian Trade

The movement of shipping to and from Melbourne may be accepted as a fair indication of trade activity in Australia. The report of the Melbourne Harbor Trust Commissioners for 1922 discloses a record volume of trade for the year. The total of imports and exports, 4,521,856 tons exceeded the previous record of 1914 by 229,235 tons and showed an increase on the tonnage of 1921 of 542,177 tons. There has been a steady advance both in goods and in ship tonnage since 1919. The figures disclosed respective increases of 5 percent in 1920 to 11 percent in 1922. The gross tonnage of vessels visiting the port in 1921 was exceeded by 2,293,328 tons. Imports from interstate and coastal ports were greater than those from oversea, the respective figures being 1,853,297 tons and 1,173,620 tons. The tonnage of goods inward and outward was 4,521,856, an increase of 542,177 tons on the trade of 1921. Imports (3,026,917 tons) showed an increase of 313,282 tons, while exports (1,494,939) had advanced by 228,895 tons.

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French Wireless—News And Views

Paris, Aug. 14.—The French press continues to raise from the British note numerous points which appear to afford matter for criticism.

The "Debats" and the "Temps" underline that the fall of the Cuno Cabinet and the coming of new people bring a change in the situation and allow hope for financial reforms.

Le "Temps" writes: "The German people do not want to be wrecked nor want the present leaders. France on her part desires that Germany pay and not that she sink. In the "Yellow Book" can be seen the measures which the French and Belgian authorities have been ready to apply in the Ruhr upon the cessation of German resistance."

The "Petit Parisien" comments on the publication of the French "Yellow Book' where, contrary to the British note, the aims of France are neatly precise and limited to the payment of reparations."

Great Britain, far from admitting that the Interallied debt must come after Reparations, clearly declares the contrary. Thus France instead of demanding 26 milliards, which are necessary for the reconstruction of the invaded regions, ought to satisfy herself with what would remain after repaying Great Britain and America.

If this sum should not exceed 8 milliards, so much the worse for France.

In conclusion the "Petit Parisien" underlines that the suggestion of Premier Poincare of the 29th June established two categories of debts—one for the immediate payment of part of the German debt corresponding to the reconstruction of the devastated regions and, after that, the adjournment on a fixed date for a simultaneous examination of the remaining German debt and the whole of the Allied debts.

PRESS COMMENT

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 14.—The British press underline the deep divergencies of the points of view in the matter of the British note, and particularly the critique of the British Foreign Office which meets with vigorous opposition on the part of Conservative organs as the "Morning Post" "Daily Mail" and "Evening News. The latter writes: "It is the policy of Premier Baldwin and not the occupation of the Ruhr that constitutes the graves' menace to economic restoration and peace in Europe."

The "Daily Express", "Daily Mirror" and "Evening Standard" anxiously wonder what might be the precise objective of the Baldwin Cabinet and assure that the majority would feel deep dislike should the aim be reconciliation with Germany.

BANK SEIZED

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 14.—A newspaper on the Socialist parliamentary service (the organ of German socialists) writes of the British reply to the French Government that "it is necessary that the activity in policy be manifested not only in Great Britain but in France for a satisfactory solution of the problem of the Ruhr."

The Vossische Zeitung writes. "The last British note undoubtedly shows that Great Britain is resigned to the situation and there remains more to do than to try economic negotiations with France.

At Dusseldorff the sub-office of the Reichsbank has been occupied following a refusal to pay a cheque presented by a French Officer.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 14.—Premier Poincare returned to Paris on Tuesday night. It is believed that he will very probably reply point by point to the British note.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Aug. 14.—The information of the Italian Ministry of Interior claims that 1556 communes are actually administered by Fascisti Municipal Councils.

The number of unemployed in Italy which was 531,775 on January 1 is now reduced to 213,580 on July 31.

Korea Visited By Tidal Waves

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Seoul, August 15.—Disastrous tidal waves on the north-west coast of Korea today swept away hundreds of houses and damaged shipping. Hundreds of lives have been lost. The latest unconfirmed reports state that there are over 1,000 dead.

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BUT I DID, MUTT. I PLAYED ONE ROUND AND I CADDIED ONE ROUND. AIN'T THAT GOING AROUND TWICE IN 140?
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News Brevities

Mrs. W. H. Lunt has left for Peking, on an extended visit to her son, Mr. Carroll Lunt.

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Mrs. Thompson, wife of Mr. J. R. Thompson, foreign advertising representative of the Shanghai Tribune, leaves on the Tenyo Maru today for a two weeks vacation in Japan.

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The China General Omnibus Company has requested permission of the Municipal Council to run busses on Kinnear Road, and to operate workers busses to transport employees of several large mills and other concerns.

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The Commissioner of Public Works has recommended that a temporary vacation quarters for municipal employees be erected at Mokanshan as the present building there is in an unsound condition.

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The meeting of the Rotary Club today at the Old Carlton at noon is for members only.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kingman have returned to Shanghai from Tsaingtao and Mr. Kingman's shoulder is improved to such an extent that he is expected to play in the coming baseball series against the Fort Mills nine.

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After September 1 the offices of the Kailan Mining Administration will be located the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank building.

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W. Robillard, formerly employed by the China Mail S. S. Company, and now living in Kowloon, was fined $250 for being in the possession of arms and ammunition at Hongkong last week.

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Word has just been received in Shanghai of the marriage at Charleroi, Belgium, of Mr. Denis Conings of Tongshan to Miss Malvina Haas, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Haas of Shanghai.

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Mr. R. C. Morton arrived from Japan ports yesterday on the President Pierce.

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Mr. E. C. Stocker of the Whangpoo Conservancy Boary returned to Shanghai on the President Pierce yesterday after an extended visit in the United States.

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Bishop L. A. Roots of the American Episcopal Church was a passenger for Foochow on the s.s. Feiching yesterday.

The Indo-China steamers Fausang, from Tientsin, and Taksang, from Tsingtao, were caught on the outskirts of a typhoon off the N. E Promontory early Monday morning. The barometer read 29.26.

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Mr. U. J. Kelly, the secretary and treasurer of the British Chamber of Commerce, and secretary of the Municipal Council of Chinkiang, is staying for a few days at the Palace Hotel.

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H. M. Consul-General has notified the British Chamber of Commerce of the receipt of the following telegram from H. M. Acting Consul at Nagasaki:—"Shanghai Woosung declared cholera-infected ports. Quarantine imposed on arrivals from there as from (?) August 13."

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A sixteen-year-old student found guilty of a number of thefts from bathers at the Hongkew open-air swimming bath was sentenced to three years in the reformatory by the Mixed Court yesterday. According to police evidence the lad came to Shanghai from Peking, after stealing $300 from his father. A letter had been dispatched to the father but no reply has been received and in giving judgment the Court ordered that if the parent comes to Shanghai in the matter he is to appear in court for the purpose of making any application he may desire.

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Today's meeting of the Rotary Club will be held at the Old Carlton Cafe, Ningpo Road, at 12:15 o'clock. It will be for members only. The speakers are Messrs. C. M. Wentworth and H. A. Wiley.

Tonight at 9 o'clock, the members will hold a swimming gala at the Hongkew Pool. They may bring guests, male and female.

EX-GOVERNOR OF HUNAN IN HENGCHOW MIXUP

Question Of No. 1 In Hunan Stirs Military Circles

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Aug. 15.—Tan Yen-kai, the ex-governor of Hunan, is responsible for the unusual mix-up that is very likely to follow his arrival at Hengchow. Tan was warmly welcomed by his Kuomintang associates in southern and western Hunan, and while taking his residence in an old taoyin's yamen at Hengchow, he is alleged to have announced that he has assumed the "Civil Governorship of Hunan with the concurrent title of Commander-in-Chief of Hunan Forces.

The officials under Chao Heng-ti at Changsha are at a loss as to what to do with this formidable enemy. The Provincial Assembly has been urged to make some sort of declaration in respect to Tan's action, but the Assembly Speaker inclines to wait and see. A certain organisation in Changsha, whose origin is unknown which calls itself the "Hunan Reparation Society," has passed two resolutions. One of them urges Tan Yen-kai not to come to Changsha in order to leave matters in Hunan less complicated. The second one makes it known that whoever that attempt to upset the Provincial Constitution of Hunan, under which Chao Heng-ti functions as governor, should be considered the public enemies of the Hunanese.

Coal Commission Attempting To Settle Strike

(Continued from Page 1)

shall show a cooperative spirit, and a proper conception of the rights of the American people.

"It recommends that Congress shall give the President authority, in the event of a cessation of operations, to declare an emergency, take charge of the mines, fix wages and the compensation to be paid the owner, subject to review by the courts, and to distribute the product as he deems wise and just.

"Coal is quite as much a public necessity as gas, street-railway service, or any other service or commodity that has been brought under public regulation. In the operation of coal-mines, as in the operation of railroads, telephones, water companies, or banks, the public interest must be respected and served.

"The Commission is convinced that publicity of costs, prices and profits must be provided to protect the interests of the public.

"As the item of freight alone takes from 16 to 30 cents of the anthracite consumer's dollar, a material reduction in the price of coal might come through a reduction of freight rates. The Coal Commission urges upon the Interstate Commerce Commission a re-examination of the reasonableness of anthracite freight rates.

"It recommends that the anthracite contract shall not expire at the same time the bituminous one does, and that the contract shall provide for its renewal except as to any subjects which either side may desire to review and of which notice is given ninety days before the expiration of the contract.

"It offers a number of suggestions looking toward bringing the operator and miner together in a more friendly spirit, and for the speedier adjustments of differences than now exist.

"The Commission recommends that each side forget past differences and grievances, and attack the problem in the spirit of justice and fair dealing, not only between themselves, but with due regard for the rights and sensibilities of the American people."

Editorial opinion in the United States has agreed that the commission's report and the effort now being made to federalise the coal industry is evidence that the people and the government have learned their lesson and will not submit to another embargo such as that of 1922. Probably the most vital part of the report, aside from the facts that it contains, is the recommendation made to Congress that it give the President the power to declare an emergency in the event of a coal strike. President Coolidge, as announced in an exclusive dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS a few days ago, has intimated he will assume that power in the event it is impossible to settle the differences between the miners and operators before he will allow a strike to unsettle the industries of the country.

Several efforts have already been made to settle the threatened strike at conference between the opposing factions at Atlantic City without success. It is hoped that in the conference to be held today in New York concessions will be made by both sides so that the strike may be averted.

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China Press Sports

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Gallopers Win Again From Mitsubishis, But Get Scare

The Gallopers were in front at the finish of yesterday's so-called ball game with the Japanese, but they almost weren't. The Mitsubishis started a rally in the sixth that put them out in front for the first time since the present series started, away back there before the Big Rain, but they couldn't hold the lead, losing 4 to 3.

The Gallopers presented a patched up front, although the faithful were glad to note that Skipper Kingman was back in harness. Harry returned from Tsingtao Monday, where he went to give his twisted shoulder a rest, and was in his usual good form, although he says the busted ligament still gives him a twinge occasionally. Harry expects to be in the line-up when the Fort Mills series starts, which will give the boys some much needed confidence.

Freddy Bills is at present lallygagging at his country estate at Mokanshan, but will be back before Saturday, according to an announcement by one of his secretaries yesterday.

Jerry Thatch was out yesterday —out of the good graces of acting manager Holliday because he showed up too late to get into a uniform. Jerry always stops at the Snack Counter after work to partake of his customary slice of apple pie, which makes him late at the ball park. Walter says that if Jerry doesn't cut out the afternoon pie and get out there for these practice games he will show him up by making him play first minus his high heel shoes.

There will be another game this afternoon, same teams.

The box score:

Shanghai	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Taylor lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Pepper ss	3	0	1	1	1	1
Kingman 1b	3	0	0	11	1	0
Posnecki p	3	0	0	0	5	0
Smith 2b	3	2	0	0	1	1
Howland 3b	1	1	0	1	1	1
Bogle c	2	1	1	5	0	0
Tinkham cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Wilhelmni cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hirsh rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Holliday rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	24	4	4	18	9	4
Mitsubishi						
Kamachi 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Tsutsumi p	3	1	1	1	1	1
Machida ss	3	1	0	2	0	0
Taijiri c	3	0	0	9	3	0
Imai 1b	2	0	0	2	1	1
Sawanichi rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Takeuchi cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yoshizaki lf	2	0	0	3	0	1
Suzuki 3b	2	1	0	1	0	2
Totals	20	3	1	18	6	5

By innings:

Shanghai	0	1	0	1	0	2	—		4
Mitsubishi	0	0	0	0	0	3	—		3

Summary: Struck out, By Posnecki 3, By Tsutsumi 6; Bases on Balls, off Tsutsumi 4, Posnecki 1; Stolen bases, Smith 4, Howland 3, Wilhelmni 1. Umpire: Dr. Clapp. Scorer Upson.

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

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Averages For Marines Series

Batting and Fielding Averages for the series between the Shanghai Team and the Peking Marines.

MARINES

Name Pos.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E	Averages Bat	Field	Games played
Olson, c.	19	2	9	14	4	3	.474	.857	5
Gorman, cf.	25	7	7	12	2	2	.280	.875	6
Donovan, 2b.	24	9	6	9	16	3	.250	.893	6
McClaire, p.	8	0	2	0	6	0	.250	1000	2
Benson, ss.	22	6	5	11	14	4	.227	.862	6
Crowder, lf.	18	3	4	5	0	1	.222	.833	6
Philpots, 1b.	20	4	4	55	0	2	.200	.965	6
Zenman, p.	5	1	1	0	0	0	.200	.000	2
Moore, rf.	17	1	2	2	0	2	.121	.500	5
Barry, 3b.	20	0	1	7	6	2	.050	.867	6
Kelly, p.	11	0	0	3	3	3	.000	.666	3
	199	33	34	118	51	22	.171	.885	6

SHANGHAI

Name Pos.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E	Averages Bat	Field	Games played
Posnecki, cf.	18	5	6	7	1	2	.333	.800	5
Bills, ss.	19	3	6	13	18	3	.316	.912	5
Thatch, 2b.	29	2	9	6	12	1	.310	.947	6
Scott, p.	17	5	5	29	9	1	.294	.923	6
Smith, c.	17	1	5	8	5	2	.294	.866	5
Bullard, p.	17	3	3	4	9	0	.176	1000	6
Pepper, rf.	22	2	3	8	2	7	.136	.159	6
Howland, 3b.	9	1	1	3	8	2	.111	.846	5
Taylor C. L., lf.	13	3	1	7	0	0	.077	1000	4
Taylor E. C., p.	17	0	1	46	4	0	.058	1000	5
Bruce, c.	7	0	0	15	1	0	.000	1000	2
	185	25	40	143	69	16	.216	.930	6

Mike Cvengros And Rube Walberg

IT did not add to the peace of mind of John J. McGraw, baseball strategist and winner of pennants, to learn that two of his cast-offs had both won their games in the American League when his own pitchers were in a slump. Just now Jawn would give much for a consistent winner, and Mike Cvengros and Rube Walberg, held not fast enough for the champions, are just that. Mike is doing splendid work for the Chicago White Sox, and Rube Walberg, long left-hander, has been a potent factor in keeping the Athletics up there in the pennant fight.

Yale Surpasses Its Eastern Rivals In Athletic Prowess

New York, July 8.—The Bulldog is no longer the underdog in college athletics. Coming back after a mediocre showing in many branches of competition for several years, Yale, during the last eight months, has swept to the front in more fields of conquest than any other Eastern institution.

Capping the climax of a brilliant indoor season, the Elis this spring have asserted their prowess in one of the greatest outdoor programs on record. Not only have they scored close to a clean sweep over their other rivals in the "Big Three." Harvard and Princeton, but landed a majority of honors against all comers.

Against an invasion from the Far West that carried off two of the major college athletic crowns for the first time in history, Yale was one of the main defenders of the East.

California romped off with the intercollegiate track and field title for the third year in succession, with Princeton and Yale furnishing the strongest competition. Washington's gallant oarsmen dethroned the champion Naval Academy eight in the intercollegiate varsity classic on the Hudson, with Yale, undefeated and boasting one of the finest crews in its history, alone in position to dispute the title claims of the Pacific Coast entry.

SUPREME AMONY BIG THREE

The Elis' reign among the "Big Three" was practically supreme in rowing, track and baseball. Besides the rowing miracles at New Haven accomplished by Ed Leader, Yale's track squad vanquished both Harvard and Princeton in dual contests, although the Tiger outscored the Bulldog in the intercollegiate test. Princeton's diamond record over the whole season was more impressive than that of Yale, but the Elis came back to whip their rivals in two out of three games, after both had eliminated Harvard from the title quest.

Yale's flashy polo four also captured the intercollegiate title by defeating Princeton in the final round of competition, and an Eli golf star, Dexter Cummings, of Chicago, swept through a fine field to the intercollegiate title last week, turning back in the championship round, R. E. Knepper, who had previously led his Princeton squad to its second successive team triumph. Yale was runner-up for the team trophy.

A majority of critics awarded the baseball crown to Holy Cross, which completed an impressive season with twenty-seven victories and but two defeats, one each by Princeton and Boston College, which, however lost its other two contests with the Worcester Collegians. Colgate was a strong titular contender until it met two straight setbacks at the hands of Brown. Princeton's winning streak of nineteen straight was checked by Colgate and the Tigers slumped badly in their series with Yale. Boston College ran twenty-two consecutive victories until defeated by Holy Cross.

COLUMBIA STRONG IN TENNIS

Columbia had one of the strongest tennis teams in the East, while Carl Fischer, of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy, landed the intercollegiate singles crown. The doubles title stayed in the West, but Lewis White and Louis Thalheimer, of the University of Texas, displaced Phil Neer and James Davies, of Stanford, as champions.

Navy's marksmen won the team rifle championship. Johns Hopkins carried off lacrosse laurels in the Southern division of competition, while Cornell and Syracuse tied for first place in the Northern division. The Orange, however, had a more impressive record, despite its setback at the hands of the Ithacans, and captured the international cup after a successful tour of England, winning six out of nine contests.

BABE HITS 29TH

Detroit, Aug. 14.—Babe Ruth batted out his 29th home run of the season in the first inning of the game here today which was won by Detroit by a score 5 to 2. This brings his record level with that of Cy Williams of the Philadelphia Nationals.

In accordance with the ruling made by President Ban Johnson of the American League Ruth has abandoned use of his Sam Crawford bat, which is constructed in four pieces glued together and with which he made all his home runs.

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London, August 14—At Bradford, Yorkshire beat Derbyshire by 8 wickets. Rhodes took 7 wickets for 60 runs in the 1st innings.

At Nottingham, Notts beat Leicestershire by an innings and 34 runs. Barratt (Notts) made 83 not out and took 5 wickets for 34 in Leicester's 1st innings. Richmond (Notts) took 7 wickets for 72 in the 2nd innings.

At Worcester, Worcestershire beat Northamptonshire by 9 wickets. L. Crawley made 161 and Fox 178 not out in Worcester's 1st innings. Root took 7 wickets for 91 in Northants' 1st innings.

At the international match in Wales, between Wales and Ireland, Ireland beat Wales by an innings and 23 runs. Wales made 153 and 242, and Ireland 418 (Heaslip 96).

At Weston-super-Mare, Kent beat Somerset by 7 wickets. Wolley (Kent) made 106 not out in the 2nd inings.

At Cheltenham, Essex beat Gloucestershire by 6 wickets. O'Connor made 128 and Douglas 147 not out in Essex's 1st innings and Claude Ashton took 7 wickets for 51 in Gloucester's 1st innings. Smith made 149 in Gloster's 1st innings.

At Manchester, Hampshire beat Lancashire on the 1st innings. Brown made 104 in Hampshire's 2nd innings.

At the Oval, Surrey beat Middlesex on the 1st innings. Surrey made 482 for 6 and declared (Hobbs 136 and Sandham 112), and 239 for 7 wickets declared in the 2nd innings (Sandham 73). Middlesex made 294 (Hendren 86 not out) and 323 for 8 in the 2nd innings (Hendren 142 not out). It was a magnificent finish, Hendren saving Middlesex from defeat.

AUSTRALIANS WIN

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Trade Report For The Year 1922

BY C. THORNE
(Commissioner of Customs)

1. Local.—In spite of strikes and political upheavals the figures for the year 1922 for trade coming under the cognisance of the Kowloon Customs both by junk and rail show an advance on all previous years. The value of the junk-borne trade amounted to Hk. Tls. 75,900,000, against Hk. Tls. 72,700,000 in 1921; whilst that of the rail-borne trade reached the high figure of Hk. Tls. 16,400,000, as compared with Hk. Ts. 4,800,000 for the previous year. Values nearer to normal for the volume of junk-borne trade can be obtained by deducting the amount of rice imported from Siam owing to the closing to Kwangtung province of the usually abundant granaries of Kwangsi.

The resulting figures will then be Hk. Tls. 51,600,000, against Hk. Tls. 54,000,000 in 1921. The very great increase in the value of the rail-borne trade is accounted for by the entire suspension for nearly two months in the early part of the year of steamer traffic between Hongkong and Canton as a result of the seamen's strike. For the following remarks on the trade of Hongkong acknowledgment is made of indebtedness to several leading mercantile firms in the Colony. The cotton yarn trade during the whole year was difficult, both from the importer's and dealer's point of view. Suspension of business occasioned by the seamen's strike resulted in accumulation of stocks, and heavy shipments from Bombay throughout the summer months aggravated the situation. The turnover was considerably below the average.

The total deliveries during the year were 92,000 bales, as compared with 120,000 bales in 1921. The increased demand for Shanghai and Japanese yarn has completely eliminated the Indian higher counts, viz., the 16's and 20's. The piece goods trade at the beginning of the year was non-existent so far as forward bookings were concerned, owing to stocks being still plentiful, and merchants were forced to dispose of these stocks, as best they could, very much under the prices ruling in Manchester. So far as piece goods were concerned the year must be considered to have been a bad one.

The sugar trade has shown an absence of the sensational price changes of the two preceding years. At the close of 1921 Cuba showed an enormous carry over of unsold sugar from its 1920-21 crop amounting to well over 1 million tons, in consequence of which a dull tone existed for the first three months of 1922; the sugar world generally was anxiously watching to see how this heavy surplus would become absorbed. The result has been that, owing to increased demands from consumers, practically the whole of this huge surplus was absorbed during 1922, leaving less than 50,000 tons to be carried forward to the 1922-23 crop. At the beginning of the year Cuban raws reached the lowest price recorded for 19 years, namely, 1¾ gold cents per pound. By the end of the year the price had risen to 4 gold cents c.i.f. New York. Consumption now appears to have overtaken production. Imports into Hongkong during the year were approximately as follows: from Java, 217,000 tons; from Cuba, 21,000 tons; and from the Philippines, 45,000 tons. The average values ruling in Hongkong per picul were: superior, $9.80; fine whites, $10.95; browns, $8.40; and molasses, $7.55. The kerosene oil trade has been seriously interfered with at nearly all points in the South China area—more particularly in the Canton and West River directs—by the conditions of political unrest which have obtained off and on, throughout the entire year. Prices fell during the course of the year approximately 25 percent, despite the fall in sterling exchange rates, with the result that sterling values were on a considerably lower level than was the case in 1921. The imports of fuel oil, paraffin wax, and motor spirit materially increased, but in the case of these by products there was likewise a considerable falling off in sterling value from the same cause as mentioned above.

On the whole the year was a disappointing one in the kerosene oil trade. It is estimated that 150,000 tons of coal from North China, 600,000 tons from Japan, and 300,000 tons from other sources were imported into Hongkong during the year. The exceptionally small quantity imported from North China is accounted for by the political disturbances in Chihli during the spring and the strike at the Kailan mines in November. The Hongkong price for Japan coal, which was $17 per ton at the beginning of the year, had risen to $18 by the end of 1922, at which price there is the possibility of Cardiff coal successfully competing with it. Owing to the tying up, at great loss to owners, of a large number of steamers for the whole period of the seamen's strike, namely, from the 13th January to the 6th March, the results of the year's shipping have been disappointing.

The average rates of freight in the various trades were lower than those of the previous year. The price of second-hand tonnage has further declined, and a good many handy-sized steamers of about 20 years old have been sold at £8 per ton. Steamers of over 4,000 tons and 25 years of age were disposed of at as low as £1 15s. per ton. With the exception of sugar canes, which yielded a fair harvest, cereals, fruit, and underground crops on the Chinese side of the frontier are reported to have been very poor.

Revenue.—(a) Junks, etc.—Collection under this heading shows a slight decrease as compared with the figures for 1921. It must be borne in mind, however, that the figures for 1921 which amounted to Hk. Tls. Tls. 301,234, included 10 months' famine relief surtax, while the 1922 figures amounted to Hk. Tls. 299,819 and only included two months' surtax. Deducting the famine relief surtax collection from both years, the following figures are arrived at: for 1921, Hk. Tls. 278,698; for 1922, Hk. Tls. 294,746.

Railway (Canton-Kowloon).—Owing to the suspension of steamer traffic resulting from the seamen's strike, a very considerable quantity of merchandise for and from Canton, which would in the ordinary course of events have been forwarded by steamer, was sent by rail; consequently, this year's collection figure of Hk. Tls. 343,073 (including Hk. Tls. 13,696—two months' famine surtax) is quite abnormal and of little value for purposes of comparison. To a very great extent Kowloon's enhanced collection has been made at the expenses of Canton's revenue.

4. Foreign Goods.—(a) Imports, Direct and Coastwise—(i) Junk borne.—The importations of 1,129 piculs of Indian cotton yarn during 1922, as compared with 197 piculs during the previous year, and 1,365,765 gallons of American kerosene oil, against 171,250 gallons in 1921, are especially worthy of notice in view of the fact that the year's trade in both of these commodities has been disappointing. The former is attributed to the fact that the cotton yarn, which was intended for the Heungshan district and would in the ordinary course of events have been forwarded by steamer to Macao for distribution, was, on account of the labor troubles at Macao, shipped to Shekki by junk; while the latter is accounted for by the Texas Oil Company making Canton a distributing center for the West River and Heungshan districts. Among the metals, increased importations have been very general in iron and mild steel products, noticeably in angles and tees, bars, hoops, rods, pig and scrap iron, pipes and tubes, plate cuttings, and sheets and plates. The markedly decreased importations of coal, singlets, leather, spirits of wine, and tobacco can only be attributed to the insecurity of transportation by junk at times when not only had the risk of piracy to be reckoned with, but also the likelihood of being commandeered by the forces of any one of the political factions.

(ii) Rail borne.—The large increased importations of cigarettes and cotton piece goods of all descriptions—flannels and blankets excepted—were made during the first quarter of the year at the time when steamer traffic was suspended, and simply show that for this class of goods rail transport was only resorted to from necessity. On the other hand, many importers, even though the usual number of steamers resumed running after the strike was settled, have continued to use this mode of transport for such widely divergent articles as cotton yarn, iron bars and rails, bran, cereals, groundnuts, pulse, cement, coal, machinery, kerosene oil, paraffin wax, spirits of wine, and soda. While rail freight charges are notoriously higher than cost of transport by water, there is just a possibility that the Canton-Kowloon Railway may be able to hold its present carrying trade, even in normal times, in view of the fact that the railway company offers the inducement of free insurance in transit.

(b) Re-exports.—No remarks.

5. Chinese Goods.—Exports Abroad.—(i) Junk borne.—Noteworthy increases over the figures of 1921 were recorded in white alum (43,277 piculs, against 30,743 piculs), most of which comes from the provinces of Fukien; in cassia lignea, fresh and prepared ginger, human hair, and tinfoil. The increases in the exportation of poultry and fresh fruits are probably attributable to the shortage of foodstuffs in Hongkong during the seamen's strike. The decrease in the quantity of bags exported is accounted for by there having been a falling off in the importation of Siamese rice, packed in bags. Cement shows a decrease from 13,364 to 9 piculs, owing to the Cement Works been shut down. Resin decreased from 25,694 to 10,218 piculs. Both brown sugar and sugar canes show big decreases. The export of limestone from Yintak, on the North River, has decreased 50 percent from 1,126,759 piculs district, and export of the stone is expected to begin early in 1923.

(ii) Rail borne.—The increased figures for the year 1922 shown in the exportation of cassia lignea, raw silk, silk-piece goods, and leaf tobacco are due almost entirely to movements during the period of the strike. On the other hand, the substantial increases appearing under the headings of bamboowares, charcoal and firewood, ducks' feathers, garlic, and mats and matting cover movements spread over the whole year. The figures for waste silk (14,559 piculs, against 11,685 piculs in 1921) are inter-

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American Girl Wins Honors In Greece

Miss Mary Haskell

MISS Mary Haskell, daughter of Colonel W. N. Haskell, U.S.A., in command of the American Red Cross in Greece and Asia Minor, has been with the Red Cross in Athens for several months and has won the heartfelt thanks and appreciation of the people by her untiring efforts and philanthropic endeavors.

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Von Tirpitz On Singapore Base

BY ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ
(In The New York American)

England has declared her intention of establishing a naval base at Singapore for a large English fleet, thereby indicating that she wishes to regain her influence in the Pacific against the time when momentous decisions must be reached in that part of the world. This influence she was compelled to renounce for the time being on account of her aggressive intentions against Germany and the consequent necessity of concentrating her naval strength in the North Sea.

The reason that Singapore has been chosen for this purpose is that a big concentration of the English fleet in Australian waters would create the impression of a strategical measure and lead to a misunderstanding with Japan.

Moreover, it is conceivable that such a plan could run counter to prevailing Australian sentiment, and further be calculated to weaken England's efforts towrads influencing Australia to create her own defensive fleet, which, if accomplished, would signify an addition of England's naval power.

"NAVAL KEY" TO ASIA

In the choice of Singapore as a new naval base, there is further to be found a connection with Article 19 of the Washington Naval Agreement, whereby England is compelled to abandon the plan of developing Hongkong for this purpose.

Singapore, which according to Jellicoe is the "naval key" to Eastern Asia, is entirely adequate for this purpose, even though it lies south of the equator and, therefore, certain local inconveniences will have to be contended with.

On the other hand, Singapore is very near the Dutch colonies, a fact which may prove to be of inestimable advantage, should England, compelled thereto by the force of circumstances and perhaps, against her own will, one day become Holland's successor in this region.

Again, Singapore lies at no great distance from the Philippines and the French colonies, and by reason of its location admits of the utilisation of India's enormous resources, now the unrestricted property of England.

Finally, English naval forces stationed at Singapore could at any moment, and without the slightest danger, link up with naval forces stationed in European waters by way of the Suez Canal, whenever this might seem desirable.

According to Jellico's suggestion, Singapore is to be prepared to accommodate eight battleships, eight cruisers, forty destroyers, thirty-six submarines and adequate aircraft.

On the whole, it is to be seen from England's projected plans that in conformance with the experience accumulated during the centuries, England is endeavoring so to balance the scales as to be prepared for any potential conflict that may arise.

BRITAIN'S STRATEGY

From an English standpoint, such preparations can neither be regarded as incorrect, nor as a threat directed against any one country. It is necessary to make a discrimination here; when England withdraw her naval forces from all waters and concentrated in the North Sea, this could only be construed as a direct threat against Germany, whose own navy was half the numerical strength of England's.

Japan would arrive at the same conclusion should the entire British fleet be concentrated in Australian waters, just as would the United States should a similar concentration take place in Canadian waters. But for the present, at least, the preparations being made in Singapore do not signify a threat against any one country, nor from a purely ethical standpoint, can any objection be raised against the English plans.

Enough Country Doctors

Discussing rural medical service in America, the editor of The Journal of the American Medical Association says that the State of New York has 10,600,000 inhabitants, including 15,848 physicians, or one physician for each 670 persons. The question as to whether this number of physicians is adequate for the population has received special consideration by the committee on medical economics of the Medical Society of the State of New York, and the published reports seem to indicate that the supply of physicians is adequate, he says.

"It is, of course, a fact," he continues, "that there will inevitable be some localities in which medical service is temporarily inadequate. Physicians may die, and time must elapse before others take their place. Construction of new roads leads to a rearrangement of medical locations, with temporary changes in distribution and in the ability of a physician to reach certain parts of his community. On the whole, however, the facts assembled lead the committee, headed by Dr. E. M. Stanton, to conclude that the relative magnitude of the rural health problem has been enormously magnified and to suspect that there are some fundamental inaccuracies in the data that have been circulated.

"In 1913 there was one physician in New York State for each 620 inhabitants, and now there is one for each 670, a relative decreare of only 5 percent, whereas at the same time there has been a decrease of 20 percent in the relative preventives of communicable disease. In one country a special study was made because the adequacy of medical service: it was shown by the committee that whereas there had been an actual decrease of sixteen physicians from 1913 to 1922, at the same time there had been a decrease of population and a shifting of physicians so that actually the service was better. With better roads, better telephone facilities, decreased incidence of disease, better hospital facilities and better means of transportation for physicians, medical service appears to be more readily available now than before.

"As Dr. Stanton wisely points out, the three chief factors of supply physicians to rural communities are: (1) Getting the physician to the patient sick in a rural home five or ten miles distant, or getting the patient that is not so sick to the office of the physician for consultation and treatment; (2) a reasonably well-trained home nursing service, and (3) reasonable hospital facilities. The relative importance of these items is 80 percent for the first, 12 percent for the second and 8 percent for the third. Bearing in mind all of the factors involved, it is the conclusion of Dr. Stanton that, instead of a shortage, there is an actual surplusage of physicians in New York State.

"Several weeks ago The Journal of the American Medical Association published a report by Dean E. P. Lyon of the Medical School of the University of Minnesota relative to the supply of physicians in that State. In Minnesota he was unable to find a single town in which an osteopath or a chiropractor was serving the people without a regular physician available. There was no town in Minnesota having more than 750 population which was without a physician. The charge that persons were compelled to receive medical attention from poorly trained cultists because of the lack of physicians was not sustained by his investigation, since it was shown that the cultists tend to locate in the largest centers, just as do the physicians.

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March quarter	——	5,876*
June quarter	3,407	2,063
September quarter	3,540	2,550
December quarter	3,338	3,008

*Strike period.

Inland Transit, and 7. Treasure.—No remarks.

Passenger Traffic.—The number of passengers proceeding to and arriving from China by rail and water totalled 1,308,708, against 1,130,158 during 1921. Of this total, 1,049,020 travelled by rail and 259,688 by water.

Miscellaneous.—The outstanding hindrance to trade during the year was the seamen's strike, which was officially declared on the 13th January and lasted until the 6th March, during which time there was a total suspension of steamer traffic between Hongkong, Canton, and West River ports as well as on many other trade routes. Starting out with the demand of 40 to 50 percent increases in wages, the seamen's delegates finally accepted an average increase of 30 percent. By the 26th February 151 ships were held up in the harbor. Before the end of the seamen's strike was reached a sympathetic strike of domestic servants in the employ of foreigners was brought about, mainly by intimidation: tramway employees, chair and jinrickisha coolies, and dockyard workers also suspended work during an attempt of some 2,000 of these sympathetic strikers to leave the Colony on foot for Canton without the necessary police permits, three were shot dead at Shatin and eight were wounded after having disregarded the clear cut of warnings and attempted to rush the police.—21 cases of piracy were notified, the most daring of which was that of the pirating of the Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Company's s.s. Suiar on the 19th November. This vessel, which was only two hours out from Macao, was on her way to Hongkong when some 50 pirates, who had booked as passengers, seized possession of the steamer.

After killing two of the ship's Indian guards and wounding the captain, two Indian guards, and two European passengers, they steered the Suiar to Shanmi, in Bias Bay, where they disembarked with booty valued at $50,000.—At the close of the year an ordinance was introduced in the Hongkong Legislative Council designed to put down gradually and eventually abolish the "mui-tsai" form of domestic service.—In June there were signs of an impending shortage of water, there then being only 550 million gallons in storage as compared with 2,000 million gallons the previous year. In consequence, on the 15th June supplies were restricted both in Hongkong and Kowloon.

A scheme is on foot to bring water down from Tai Mo Shan across the harbor by pipe-line.—His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales arrived in Hongkong on the 8th April and left for Japan on the 8th. His Excellency the Governor Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G., was absent from the Colony on home leave from the 15th June to the 18th November, during which time the Government was administered by the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G.—The first German ship to enter the port since the European War arrived in Hongkong on the 9th February. She was the Hamburg-Amerika motor vessel Havelland.—On the 26th November there was recorded a drop in temperature of 20 within 24 hours, thermometers on the Peak registering as low as 54 F.—The sterling value of the Hongkong dollar steadily dropped from 2s. 7¼d. in January to 2s. 2¾d. on the 31st December.—The price of 1st quality rice kept at about $8.50 per picul.

Mentoukou Coal Mine Closed Temporarily

The General Agents of the Shanghai Exploration and Development Co., Ltd., have received the following information from the Manager of the Mentoukou Coal Mine.

"Owing to the quantity of water to be pumped being increased to nearly 2,700 gallons a minute, and the rains continuing, we stopped the working of coal and closed the first safety doors. As we are approaching the end of the rainy season we hope to be able to start work again shortly. This closing of the doors must only be regarded as a temporary measure to ensure the safety of the Mine."

Chinese Radicals Visit Hankow

(Independent News Service")

Hankow, August 12.—Dr. and Mrs. Kiang Kiang-hu, the well-known Chinese socialists, who have traveled extensively in the United States and Europe, are visiting Wuchang and Hankow from Changsha, being the guests of educational circles of Wuchang. In his lectures delivered here Dr. Kiang strongly advocates the preservation of what is worth while in ancient Chinese culture.

Dr. Kiang will shortly visit his home province, Kiangsi, and Central Hsiao. Tuchun of Wuchang, has already wired Governor Tsai to accord Dr. Kiang official courtesies and protection during Kiang's visit to Kiangsi. Mrs. Kiang has left Peking.

Rockefeller Buys Gigantic Marble Of Adam And Eve

New York.—A gigantic sculptured group of Adam and Eve, each figure about twenty-five feet high and weighing 125 tons, designed and hewn from pure white Carrara marble by George Grey Barnard, has been purchased by John D. Rockefeller and will be erected in a "garden of Eden" on the Rockefeller estate at Pocantico Hills, N. Y., it is reported.

The group, so posed that Eve seems to be rising out of a rib of Adam, will be placed in a marble arched background now being completed by Italian sculptors, on the Rockefeller estate, when Barnard returns from a month's vacation in Canada.

Two Barnard statues already stand near the site intended for Adam and Eve. One, "The Rising Woman," shows womanhood rising to a new strength, the other, "The Hewer," shows a nude man attempting to break a piece of timber with a primitive weapon.

EXCHANGE RATE

(Reuter's Service)

London, August 14.—French francs further depreciated today to 83.00. Belgian francs closed at 100.15 and German marks at 10,000,000 to 12,000,000.

CROSS RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, August 14.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at: £1—83.29 francs.

Obituary

VISCOUNT TAJIRI

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, August 15.—Viscount Tajiri, formerly Mayor of Tokio, died today as a result of an accidental fall downstairs in his residence.

M. CREMER

(Reuter's Service)

Amsterdam, August 14.—The death is announced, following an operation, of M. Cremer, former Minister of the Colonies.

Tsinghua College Beats Amateurs By 6 To 4 Score

The baseball aggregation of the 1923 graduating class of Tsinghua College defeated the Shanghai Chinese Amateur team by six to four on the Y. M. C. A. ground on North Szechuen Road yesterday afternoon.

The victory of the visitors was mainly due to the high class pitching of Hwang, all round athlete and well-known basketballer, and the good catching of Sun. These two formed the college battery when they were at Tsinghua. Hwang has everything that is required of a good pitcher, good control and speed, and also some good breaks. The amateurs got very few hits from him, and the runs they got were the results of the poor work of the fielders.

The Amateurs were weakened by the non-appearance of Albert Chan, and a substitute pitcher had to take his place on the mound. The story might have been different, had Chan been present during the game. S. Y. Lock again satisfied both sides by his good decisions.

Ship Goes Aground, But Gets Off Safely

(Reuter's Service)

London, Aug. 14.—The Southern Railway steamer Princess Ena, which left Southampton for St. Malo with 280 passengers struck Minquiers Reef, Jersey, owing to fog early this morning.

It was considered advisable to lower the boats. Two boats were filled with the passengers in a very orderly manner. There were no casualties. Subsequently the steamer boated with the tide, and is proceeding to St. Malo under her own steam.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 3121

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Under the authority of Resolution V, passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 18, 1923, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the Silver Loan of 1923.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable on Jupe 30 and December 31 in each year.

The debentures will be issued at par, and will be redeemed under the operation of a Sinking Fund on December 31, 1953, but may be redeemed by the Council in whole or in part on December 31, 1933, or on any subsequent date, subject to the Council giving six calendar months' notice in the Municipal Gazette and the public press of Shanghai.

In the event of any partial redemption of the loan, the numbers of debentures to be redeemed will be decided by drawing.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 5,000, Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500, Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. G. B. ROWE,
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Council Room,
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All Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names, addresses and particulars of their debts and claims on or before the 12th, November, 1923, after which date no further claims shall be admitted.

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5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council, Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

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Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
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Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.
Y. KATADA, Manager.
N. F. CHANG Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-28)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Haussmann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Phnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager

International Banking Corporation

Capital paid up ....U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,564,930
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Madrid	
Batavia	Manila	
Bombay	Panama	
Calcutta	Peking	
Canton	Rangoon	
Cebu	San Francisco	
Colon	Santo Domingo	
Dairen	Shanghai	
Hankow	Singapore	
Harbin	Soerabaya	
Hongkong	Tientsin	
Kobe	Tokio	
Lyons	Yokohama	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 10th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$80,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,700,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 8,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
23 The Bund

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current taal accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

中國興業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$500,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK." Shanghai

東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale.
Lon and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies, Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.
C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU.
General Managers.

Steamers Departed

Aug. 14—Takaosan M. for Native Customs
Aug. 15—Ngankin for Hankow
Aug. 15—Tuckwo for Hankow
Aug. 15—Tehhsing for Hankow
Aug. 15—Tafoo M. for Hankow
Aug. 15—Haean for Wenchow
Aug. 15—Yamashiro M. for Japan
Aug. 15—Chuentiao for Cruise
Aug. 15—Haimming for C. T'tsin
Aug. 15—Lvons M. for Japan
Aug. 15—Hunan for Antung
Aug. 15—Nanning for Swatow
Aug. 15—Loksang for Tsingtao
Aug. 15—Koan M. for Hankow
Aug. 15—Scheer for Hamburg
Aug. 15—Santen M. for W'chow
Aug. 15—Feichling for Foochow
Aug. 15—H. Peking for Ningpo
Aug. 15—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ....
C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6468)
C. 6469) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5630 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengtah	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fungtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Penepu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manager.
T. D. Ear, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$250,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital	U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits	U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No. 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal.
Northwestern National Bank, Portland, Ore.
Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.
Amer. Sav. Bk. and Trust Co., Seattle.
Shanghai Branch: Central 7944, 7945, 7946, & 7947

6 Kiukiang Road
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold
A. E. SCHUMACHER
Manager

Passengers Arrived

Per I-C. s.s. Fausang from Chefoo: Mrs. Becker.

Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo from Hankow: Mr. A. Ferguson, Capt. and Mrs. Boland; from Kiukiang: Messrs. E. J. Nash, M. R. Frost, Miss E. Frost; from Chinkiang: Mr. and Mrs. Leaver.

Per M.M. s.s. Chambord from Yokohama: Mme E. J. Westbrook and two infants, Messrs. Paul Alexander, L. Bassok; from Kobe: Mr. W. N. Gray, Misses M. Smith, A. Salresen; through for Marseilles: Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamatani and infant, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Laurensen and infant.

Per C. N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. J. Hamilton.

Per N. S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Brothers Gastor, Archcugelis, Victor, Emulrin, Anit, Puechal.

Per S. P. s.s. Ningshin from Foochow: Messrs. Waecke, M. Trunga, A. N. Wardrap, E. W. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Henchamn.

Per C. N. s.s. Szechuen from Hongkong: Mrs. W. H. Sullivan.

Per P. and O. s.s. Dongola from London: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strutt, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Morris, Mr and Mrs. H. Radfor and infant, Master and Miss Radford, Mrs. M. Seddall, Miss G. Birrell, Messrs. T. C. Djang, C. A. Rao, O. Fox, E. W. Richards, G. Wright; from Aden: Lt. Comdr. F. E. Hutton; from Hongkong: Brig. and Mrs. R. Chard and infant, Master Chard, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Moysey, Mrs. D. de B. Nowcomb and two infants, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Abernathy, Misses Abernathy, A. Lindwall, H. J. Fairfield, J. A. Shaw. For Yokohama: Flt. Lt. E. Longinotto, G. S. Daniel.

Per P. M. s.s. President Pierce from San Francisco: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bartman, Master B. Bartman, Mrs. R. C. Chandler, Messrs. F. T. Ching, J. L. Coe, Miss E. Conner, Mr. Calero, Miss M. Davis, Mr. W. Lavis, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Espey, Master J. and Miss M. Espey, Dr. and Mrs. P. S. Evans Jr., Misses H. and I. Evans, Mr. J. L. Evans, Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Ewers and infant, Miss R. Ewers, Mrs. G. C. Finke, Mr. and Mrs. P. Hanson, Misses A. and E. Hanson, Master H. and Miss M. Hanson, Master P. Hanson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jones, Miss D. and Master E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Kirby, Miss F. King, Messrs. C. Y. Lau, R. C. Morton, J. M. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Moyler, Mrs. C. Saint Pol, Miss M. H. Saint Pol, Messrs. G. R. Saint Pol, E. C. Stocker, S. Strommer, Mrs. L. W. Strawn, Mrs. M. H. Wolf, Mr. W. B. Wilson, Miss E. Young. Through for Hongkong: Messrs. Wah Min Chun, R. Edgar, L. S. Kwak, S. C. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scharer, Master F. and Miss G. Scharer, Mrs. J. and Master J. Shaw; for Manila: Messrs. R. Abarquez, P. Botelar, Mrs. A. Burton, Mr. J. Dals, Mrs. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gillispie and infant, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Goodhue, Mr. and Mrs. T. Guard, Messrs. J. I. Harris, P. Hoffman, J. J. Keith, J. Moore, Mrs. M. M. and Miss A. Saloshy and infant, Mr. E. J. Seaton, Mrs. D. M. Shaw and infant, Miss M. Shipman, Mr. R. Valliram, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walton, Lieut. and Mrs. E. L. Woodside, Master R. Woodside.

行業商業儲蓄銀 Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital ..$5,000,000
Paid up Capital $2,500,000
Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.

Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.

Bankers:
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co. of S. Francisco,
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

LO WAI,
Manager
26 Kiangse Road

Vessels Due

Africa Maru, *Hongkong*	Aug. 20
Agamemnon, *New York*	Aug. 17
Andre Lebon, *Marseilles*	Aug. 21
Chihli, *Hongkong*	Aug. 16
Chohei Maru, *Dairen*	Aug. 20
Chungking, *Hankow*	Aug. 16
Esang, *Hongkong*	Aug. 19
Eebeck, *New York*	Aug. 17
Fooshing, *Hongkong*	Aug. 19
Glenshane, *London*	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 16
Hawaii Maru, *U. S. A.*	Aug. 18
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	Aug. 16
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Aug. 20
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Aug. 17
Hsin Ningshao *Ningpo*	Aug. 18
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Aug. 15
Hsinfung, *Tientsin*	Aug. 19
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Aug. 21
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Aug. 19
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Aug. 18
Kanchow, *Hongkong*	Aug. 18
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	Aug. 17
Korea Maru, *Hongkong*	Aug. 23
Kungwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 19
Liverpool Maru, *Europe*	Aug. 22
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 16
Luenho, *Hankow*	Aug. 18
Lycaon, *Liverpool*	Aug. 19
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Aug. 19
Mishima Maru, *Europe*	Aug. 18
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Aug. 16
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Aug. 23
Nilgata Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 16
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Aug. 23
Omi Maru, *Osaka*	Aug. 19
Poyang, *Hankow*	Aug. 18
Pres. Cleveland, *Hongkong*	Aug. 17
Pres. Jackson, *Hongkong*	Aug. 16
Pres. Grant, *Seattle*	Aug. 23
Rokko Maru, *Yokohama*	Aug. 19
Shinyo Maru, *S. Francisco*	Aug. 18
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Aug. 20
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Aug. 20
Shengking, *Hankow*	Aug. 22
Seikyo Maru, *Dairen*	Aug. 17
Shinon, *Chinwangtao*	Aug. 17
Sinkiang, *Tsingtao*	Aug. 17
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 22
Taisang, *Hongkong*	Aug. 18
Tamba Maru, *Europe*	Aug. 18
Tenyo Maru, *Manila*	Aug. 16
Tingsang, *Tientsin*	Aug. 17
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 23
Tungshing, *Hongkong*	Aug. 21
Wenchow, *Hankow*	Aug. 22
Wosang, *Antung*	Aug. 17
Woosung, *Hankow*	Aug. 17
Yarra, *Christiania*	Aug. 18
Yingchow, *Hongkong*	Aug. 20
Yungshing, *Ningpo*	Aug. 18

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,110
Chartered	£19½
Sino-Astatic	None
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$625
North China	Tls. 180
Union of Canton	H.$230 B.
Yangtsze	H.$17½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$125 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$475 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Nav.	H.$137½ S.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$37½ B.
"Shell"	66/3
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 75½ B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 29½ B
Oriental Cons.	18/-
Raub	$4½ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$149 S.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 91½
New Eng. Works	Tls. 7.20
" Pref.	Tls. 5.20 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 196
Hongkong Wharf	H.$160 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Shai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 80
French Land	Tls. 121 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 120
Burlton Ltd.	Tls. 38 S.
Cotton Mills	
Ewo (ord.)	$11¾ B.
Ewo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 4½ B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 75 B.
Sundries	
Butler Tins	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$206
Green Island	$28 B.
Langkats	Tls. 30½ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 8
Shai Sumatra	Tls. 94
Stores	
Kell and Hetts	$6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$102 B.
Soltrie	$65 B.
Watson	$91 B.
Weeks	$18
Rubbers (local)	
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7¼
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 0.57½ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 6¾ B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1¼ B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 25 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Jhempedak	Tls. 0.75 B.
Kheng	Tls. 1.30
Consolidated	Tls. 1.17½ B
Dominion	Tls. 7.10 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 1½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 2.55 B.
Karia	Tls. 11 B.
Kedah	Tls. 13¾ B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 12 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 7 B.
Padang	Tls. 1.37½ B
Pangkalan Lurian	Tls. 1.30
Permata	Tls. 15¾ B.
Sepah	Tls. 6.30 B.
Sinagagna	Tls. 1.40 B.
Soekoen	Tls. 3¼ B.
Samambu	Tls. 0.92½ B.
Soaawang	Tls. 0.92½ B.
Shai Kiebang	Tls. 1.20 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 1.42½ B.
	Tls. 1.27½
	Tls. 0.67½ B.
	Tls. 4
	Old 9½ B.
	New 9 B.
Shai Malay pref.	Tls. 1.05 B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.70 B.
Sungei	Tls. 10 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3¾ B.
Tan Manggis	Tls. 0.30
Shai Serumban	Tls. 0.75 B.
Talping	Tls. 0.87½ B
Tanah Merah	Tls. 1.52½ B.
Tebong	Tls. 3.65 B.
Tiangbee	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 335
Cuity Dairy	Tls. 10 B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 155
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
Shai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
Shai Telephone	Tls. 71 B.
Shai Waterworks	Tls. 199 S.

Sellers. Ss. Sales. B. Buyers

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, August 15, 1923
OFFICIAL
Gulas "Reg." Tls. 11.00
UNOFFICIAL
Yangtsze Insurance $27.50
Kedah Tls. 1.37½
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.25
Shanghai Kiebangs Tls. 0.70

Money Exchange

Shanghai, August 15, 1923
Mex. Dollars market rate ..73.125
Native Interest 04
Copper Cash 248.300
Bar Silver 31 1-16
Shanghai Gold Bar 339
Bank rate of Discount 8%
Paris on London 83.55
New York on London 4.87
London—
Telegraphic Transfer ..3/0½
Demand 3/0¾
New York—
Telegraphic Transfer ..69½
Demand 69¾

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS SELLING RATES
London (T.T.) 3/0½
London (Demand) .. 3/0¾
London 4 m-s 3/0¾
India (T.T.) 126¾
France (T.T.) 1260
America (T.T.) 69½
Hongkong (T.T.) 74¾
Japan (T.T.) 70½
Batavia (T.T.) 182½
Straits (T.T.) 77

BANK'S BUYING RATE
London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/1¾
London 4 m-s Docts .. 3/2
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/2¼
London 6 m-s Docts ..
France 4 m-s 1310
America 4 m-s L/c 72
Docs 72½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 70½ = Tls. 141.84
@ exch. 72.4 = Mex. $195.91
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3/1¾ = Tls. 6.42
@ exch. 72.4 = Mex. $8.87

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR AUGUST
Hk. Tls. 5.85 @ 3/0¾ £1
Hk. Tls. 1.28 @ 70 Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1183 Fr. 13.18
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 70¾ Yen 1.59
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 226½ Rupees 2.62
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 15.62 Ital. Lire 17.41

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 70
Demand buying on America 70½
Demand selling on London 3/0¾
Demand buying on London 3/1¾

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
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	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	56.50	56.50
7th Year 6%	46.00	46.00
9th Year 6%	67.20	67.80
6% Consolidated	50.50	50.60
7% Consolidated	58.00	58.00
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	25.60	25.20

Shanghai Shareholders Association

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Shanghai, August 15, 1923
OFFICIAL
New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.20 Sept.
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Kotas Tls. 1.35 Oct.

Ring Filling Up With G.O.P. Hats

Washington, Aug. 14.—The race for Republican nomination in 1924 is now wide open. Calvin Coolidge has been elevated overnight from the Vice-Presidency to the Presidency.

His nomination will be logical otherwise Senator Hiram Johnson of California, implacable foe of the League of Nations and strict advocate of "isolationism," is probably the most formidable aspirant although Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, and candidate for the nomination against Warren G. Harding at Chicago three years ago, is certain to re-enter the competition.

Governor Gifford Pinchot, the progressive governor of Pennsylvania, Senator James Watson, of Indiana, Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, and Charles E. Hughes, Secretary of State, must be taken into account.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

August 15, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were unchanged in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 69¾ cents and the London-New York cross rate is unchanged at 487. The only change in our official quotations here today was a rise in the Franc rate to 1260.

Our market in the early part of the day was steady but eased off later. At one time there were sellers of Sterling at 3-0-13-16 for August, 3-0% for September and 3/0½ for October. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 70½ for near delivery and 70 for forward.

At the close, however, there were good buyers at these rates with sellers at 1-16d. in Sterling and ¼ point in Gold Dollars lower. There were sellers of Yen at the close at 69¾ for near delivery and 70 for forward. Banks were quoting 3-1¼, 71½ and 1310 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India bought silver in London again yesterday and the Continent sold, the market closing steady. New York report their market firm with sellers holding back.

Hongkong Shares

Messrs. Moxon and Taylor of Hongkong write as follows in their weekly report on the share market dated Hongkong, August 10:

We have had a very quiet market during the week under review with only a small amount of business passing.

The Shanghai market was also very quiet.

The following are the principal alterations since last week:

Hongkong Banks: — Have changed hands at $1,100.

Unions:—Are steady with buyers at $228.50 after sales at $229.

Hongkong Lands:—Have changed hands from $90 to $90.50 and still have buyers at the former price.

Hongkong Hotels:—Are firmly held and are quoted nominally at $27 for Old and $26.85 for New shares.

Cements:—Are weaker, sales having been effected at $28.50 to $28.75, but buyers are now offering only $28 without meeting with any response from sellers.

Kowloon Wharves:—Have declined, and there are now sellers at $160.

Hongkong Docks:—Have sellers at $149.

China Providents:—Are still in demand with buyers at $25.80.

China Sugars:—Are quoted at $206 nominal.

Hongkong Electrics:—Are firm with buyers at $32.75 without inducing sellers.

Hongkong Ropes:—Are unchanged.

Star Ferries:—Buyers have raised their offers to $53.50, but no business has been reported.

Watsons:—Are firm at $21 after sales at $21.30.

London quotations of the 9th instant:—Hongkong Banks £123 10/-, Indos Deferred £13, Shells £3.7.6. All middle prices.

Waterspout And Wind At Peitaiho Drive Visitors Out

Tientsin, Aug. 14.—Many foreign residents at the Peitaiho summer resort returned to Tientsin yesterday, owing to a typhoon which raged there on Saturday.

The returned travellers declared that the typhoon came with the force of a hurricane, uprooting trees and blowing down houses. Two foreign ladies were injured by a collapsing wall.

The women injured were Mrs. Paul Jocelyn of the American Legation, Peking, and Mrs. Tavaella, wife of the manager of the Sino-Italian Bank, Tientsin. Both were struck by falling timbers. Minor injuries were inflicted on several others.

As a result of the typhoon, the Nye cottage is practically complete wreck. The roofs were blown off the cottages of Messrs. Dilley, Cormack, Gleystein, Hunter, La Salle, Terry, Pike, Krause and Martin. The eastern part of the Assembly Hall and the house of the Women's Federated Mission Society also were unroofed. The veranda's were blown off the houses of Messrs. Leighton Stuart, Ladow and Strong.

Scores of the largest trees were uprooted, and many of the electric light and telephone poles and wires are down.

Roofing material is scattered all over the Rocky Point hill.

Chinese police are guarding the vacated houses.

The typhoon, which was accompanied by a cloud-burst, came with startling suddenness. Two flashes of lightning, accompanied by deafening claps of thunder were followed by the roaring of a tempest which destroyed everything in its path. Rocky Point and the area to the west of it seem to have suffered most. Leagation Point having escaped serious damage.

Weather Report

Remarks on the 14th.—The high pressures are central between Nippon and the Bonin. The typhoon is crossing Manchuria NNE ward. The Pacific Ocean typhoon is advancing slowly NW ward. Signs of a new centre between the Carolines and the Marianas. Summer monsoon along our coasts. Local calms in the north. Cloudy and warm weather, getting thundery at night in our Valley.

Morning of the 15th.—Cloudy, fine and hot weather; remarkable visibility. Moderate and constant southerly breezes. Pression exceeding the normal level.

Passengers Departed

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Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on August 14, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	"	15-20
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	20-25
Salmon	"	30-35
Samil	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	35-40
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	35-40
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	10-15
Bananas	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per doz.	6-10
Grape fruit	each	20-
Lemons	"	5-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	10-15
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	20-40
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	10-15
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	8-10
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Bread Beans	per lb.	5-7
Cabbages	each	10-15
Celery	per bunch	3-5
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	"	15-20
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	10-12
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$1.50-$2.00
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.90
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.00
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$13.40
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.50
House Coal	"	17.20

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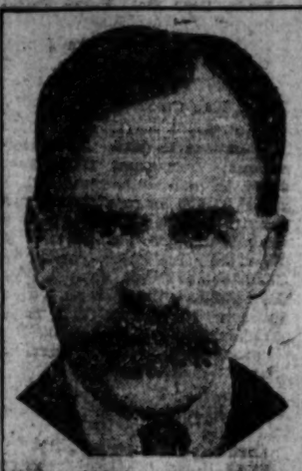

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Our portrait is of Mr. John Kidd, of 17, Mill Lane, Kilmarnock, Scotland, who writes:—"My right arm became covered with sores from wrist to elbow and was useless for over two years. I tried different ointments and so-called cures, but they never did me any good. Then I tried your 'Clarke's Blood Mixture,' and the sores soon began to heal up and power began to come back to my arm, so I persevered with the Mixture, and after having four bottles am glad to say my arm is completely healed up and I have now the full use of it." In a further letter over a twelvemonth later Mr. Kidd writes:—"I have had no return of my complaint; my arm is still as sound as a bell and never troubles me in the least."

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2 of $2500.	Nos. 1367,	4182	equal to	$5,000.
2 of $ 500.	Nos 2899,	2982	" " "	1,000.
2 of $ 300.	Nos. 0152,	2299	" " "	600
2 of $ 200.	Nos. 3743,	4093	" " "	400.
2 of $ 100.	Nos. 0678,	0938	" " "	200.
1 of $ 245.	No. 2971,		" " "	245.
1 of $ 100.	No. 3456.		" " "	100.
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WEATHER

Fine and hot weather, with local thunder. Summer monsoon along our coasts. The Pacific ocean typhoon will advance N. Wwards. Another low centre will approach to the South of Guam N. Wwards.

MARRIAGE

CONINGS-HAAS. On August 13th, 1923, at Charleroi, Belgium. Denis Conings of Tongshan. K. M. Mines to Malvina Haas, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Haas, of Shanghai. Japan papers please copy.

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A Parliament Of Women

A CONGRESS, composed of women, will meet in a building on Capitol Hill, Washington, next December, discuss the same subjects as the National Congress and attempt to make the influence of women felt in the legislative halls of the national congress, within a few hundred of the women's capitol. This move in accordance with the plan of the leaders of the National Woman's Party to make it a third party, and a decisive factor in politics. Thus giving real sight to the women's vote which heretofore has been divided up among the two main political parties, and has served merely to fortify a situation which the Women's party aims to attack.

The women's parliament will be organized in the same way as Congress, with members of the house from each state in proportion to the voting strength, and two senators for each state. The members of the first parliament will be chosen by the state organizations of the National Woman's Party. Later an attempt will be made to have them elected by members of the party through state conventions.

The leaders of the Women's party disclaim, however, any political ambition and assert that their party exists primarily to correct political evils. "We claim to be the third national party but a party whose purpose is unselfish, since all we desire is to improve public morals, and we hope to do this by our influence and not by amalgamation with the existing major political parties," declares Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, whose funds have endowed the party since its inception. "Our first step is to show just what we stand for and define, so far as we can, the views of women on public questions.

"We expect to take up every question that Congress is dealing with and give our point of view on the respective measures. We will have public hearings on bills and expect to be strong enough to carry out our measures. To accomplish this we intend as a party to keep ourselves aloof from the existing men's parties.

"We want immediate action and hope to force Congress to register the public's will in a better way than at present. Our assistance, through the parliament, will help a great deal. At any rate the women's view will be accentuated in a national way just as effectively as men's ideas are in Congress, and further, if members of Congress prove indifferent to their duty, National party leaders will, with a strong political organization behind them, be able to enter the primaries in the following elections and defeat them."

The first questions to which the members of the new congress address themselves will be those affecting women, chief among them the matter of a constitutional amendment giving women the same rights as men.

In the Philippines women sit on eggs and hatch out ducks. Most other places they just sit around hatching trouble.

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Add, heights of assininity: Asking members of Parliament to attend sessions.

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A man in Berlin last week paid off a 10,000 mark mortgage with a cake. This week he could do it with a loaf of bread.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"I have never known anybody who worked too hard, though I have known many who think they do."—Lord Hewart.

"The desire of glory clings even to the best men longer than any other passion."—Tacitus.

"When a woman can treat one of her husband's former sweethearts kindly, it is a sign that the former sweetheart has faded terribly."—James J. Montague.

"Thou wilt find rest from vain fancies if thou doest every act in life as though it were thy last."—Marcus Aurelius Antoninus.

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Poisonous butterflies have invaded a Japanese town, terrorising the inhabitants. Nasty butterfly, tra la la la la!

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SONG MAKERS

When first I knew the joy of love,
I made it into a song;
I sang it to the flying wind
Who carried it along.

When first I knew love's agony,—
A knife-thrust in my heart,
I fashioned a song of my ache and pain
To sell in the public mart.

Oh, you who buy my quiet tears,
Is it not a pretty thing,
That bright with joy or numb with pain,
One still has song to sing?

MARTHA WILCHINSKI.

* * *

A professor in the United States advocates locking up all the feeble-minded for life. That, of course, would be ruinous—who then would write our song hits? Yes, we have no bannaners!

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IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny, who is so inquisitive she once asked the number of rungs on Jacob's Ladder, says she can't understand why Westa doesn't bring this here Col. Bogey he's always talking about home with him sometime.

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It appears that when France and Great Britain buried the hatchet they still kept a few axes to grind.

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Yes, Little Garlic-san, it looks like they'll hold a national election in China if they ever get rational.

Larry

The words of an old song declare that Night Has a Thousand Eyes. The neighbors have more.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Bulgaria figures it can rub along between foreign wars if it can switch a civil war in now and then by way of practise.—Kansas City Times.

D'Annunzio says he wants to do something that will enable him to die "in a burst of glory." He might try soldering a gasoline can.—Tacoma Ledger.

Correspondence

IF YOU PLEASE

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir:

I have learned from the History of England when the Duke of Wellington was sick and dying, the last thing he took was a little tea. On his servants bringing it to him, and asking if he would have it, the Duke replied, "Yes, if you please." These were his last words. How much kindness and politeness is expressed by them! I am in thought that the Duke had commanded the greatest armies in Europe, and was long used to the tone of authority, did not condemn or overlook the small civilities of life.

How many peoples act very differently! What a rude tone of command they often use to their colleagues, subordinates, and to servants. (A rude tone is frequently used by unmannerly or boorished foreigner to their Chinese subordinates) They did so. This is ill-bred and impolite, it shows an evil nature and hard heart, I wish all the peoples in their talk remember, "IF YOU PLEASE." To all who wait upon or serve you, believe that "IF YOU PLEASE" will make you better served than all the cross or ordinary words in the whole dictionary. Do not forget, then, the three little words, "IF YOU PLEASE."

There is an adage in our China: Kind words cost nothing, but are worth much.

I am, Dear Sir. Yours Faithfully,

Hsu An Jen.

REFUGEE RELIEF

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Dear Sir: I beg to enclose list of donations to date. The International Recreation Club have come to our assistance with a gift of $1,000 for repatriation purposes. Our Soup Kitchen fund is somewhat bigger but in view of the rapidly increasing number of meals being served daily I trust the public will continue their generous support as this is of paramount importance if we are to keep refugees from starving. Soup Kitchen, Previously acknowledged $2,938.04

A. Briner July/August	20.00
The Auto Palace Co., (British) Tls. 20 @ 72.45	27.60
Anonymous	5.00
Tula Tula for Sept.	25.00
Mrs. Walker	20.00
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Sold since 66 @$1 ..	66.00
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N.B.—There are a few more Pink Tickets for sale which can be had on application to the undersigned @ $1.00 each. Everybody can spare a dollar and the hot weather will soon be over.

Yours faithfully,
Refugee Relief Advisory Committee,
A. E. LOCKYER,
Hon. Treasurer.

Words From The Lips Of Wise Men

Debts make freemen slaves.

To keep your ground keep your head.

Keeping cool helps to keep you out of hot water.

Beware of being conquered by love of comfort.

The sin is not in failing, but in not trying again.

He is the most subjected, the most enslaved, who is so in his understanding.

Genuine simplicity of heart is a healing and cementing principle.

Our own productions flatter us; it is impossible not to be fond of them at the moment of their conception.

A good word is an easy obligation, but not to speak ill requires only our silence, which costs us nothing.

Education begins the gentleman, but reading, good company and reflection must finish him.

Why The Ruhr Is Vital

Gripping the Industrial Heart of Germany is how France's occupation of the Ruhr Valley is described in recent dispatches from abroad. But when we hear of the French dragoons clattering at dawn into this hive of industry, it is hard to picture just what it all means. "What is the Ruhr, anyway?" we ask, remembering vaguely constant mention of its extent or resources.

"The Ruhr" mentioned in the papers is the Ruhr River, and about fifteen miles north and south of it, extending eastward from where the Ruhr flows into the Rhine (about fourteen miles north of Dusseldorf) past Dortmund to Hamm, a distance of fifty miles. It is roughly an oblong basin of coal-beds, thirty miles wide and fifty miles long. In this respect it is not unlike similar basins in this country, except that the coal is more concentrated and the steel industry almost as much concentrated right on top of it.

The area of the Ruhr is about 1,234 square miles. Perhaps the situation will be clearer if we can imagine foreign soldiers taking over the manufacturing districts around Pittsburgh, throughout an area as large as the State of Rhode Island. It would take in all the enormous steel plants and coke ovens in the territory bounded by Connellsville, Uniontown, Waynesburg, Washington and Allegheny, including Pittsburgh itself, McKeesport, Braddock, Monongahela and Homestead.

But it means much more to Germany—and France. In a statement made in the French Senate last November, Senator Lucien Hubert said.

"The Ruhr is in reality a sort of focus of human activity. It is something infinitely intricate and infinitely formidable. The developed portion of the Ruhr does not exceed in size more than 3,200 square kilometers, that is to say about half of one of our Departments. In this half Department there are ten cities or groups which exceed each 200,000 inhabitants. Four or five exceed 500,000. This half Department has 4,000,000 inhabitants to feed every morning. As far as Duisburg and Ruhrort are concerned, this one port represents in itself the traffic of all the French ports taken together.

"This half Department requires each day 21,000 ten-ton freight-cars, while the Est Railroad system altogether does not require more than 10,000. This half Department has shipped during the year 1921, 166,000 tons of freight a day, while the whole company of the Est does not carry more than half of that. In 1918 the monthly production of coke from the Ruhr equaled the annual production of all France."

That is a Frenchman's view. What does the German say? In the New York Times of January 11, the German coal expert Shulz is quoted as saying that:

"The region has a visible reserve of 54,000,000,000 tons, of which 11,000,000,000 may be mined down to 700 meters, 18,200,000,000 between 700 and 1,000 meters and 25,000,000,000 tons between 1,000 and 1,500 meters. Besides this vast store of black coal, according to the same expert, the Ruhr has a visible reserve of 4,000,000,000 tons of lignite or brown coal."

To sum up the resources of this amazing ant-hill of industrialism it is pointed out that:

"In coal, steel and iron it is one of the richest regions of the world; in the production of steel and iron machinery and implements it stands first in Germany; in the production of salt and textiles it has few rivals in the Reich. Before the war its coal-fields, working only 40 percent of their capacity, produced 90,000,000 tons a year, only second in the world to the Pennsylvania fields, and in corresponding ratio 5,000,000 tons of pig-iron were produced, which was 40 percent of Germany's entire output and 10 percent of the world's."

The development of the region has been almost like magic. In 1850 the Krupps at Essen (then a town of 10,000) began the manufacture of cannon. Just before the war, the Krupps alone employed more than 40,000 men there and as many more elsewhere. During the intense production induced by the war its pay-roll frequently reached a million men. The population of Essen is now more than half a million.

"The same rapid development characterizes Dortmund with its population of 300,000 and its 599 foundries; of Hagen, with its iron and textile mills; of Hamm with its output of iron and steel implements; of Bielefeld with its machinery factories and linen-mills; of Unna with its salt works; and of half a dozen other towns of less productive importance."

During this development the population of the district as a whole shot up from 800 to the square mile to 1,800 to the square mile—the thickest population in all Europe today. In the financial crisis which swept over Western Europe in the 80's three other magnates had secured a practical monopoly over the remaining coal and iron in the region. They were Thyssen, Haniel and Kirdoff. From the New York Times of January 17, we take this bit of history. The writer goes on to say:

"These were brought into contact with the man who already controlled the railways of the region, Hugo Stinnes. He established his headquarters at Bochum, and under his direction the various companies and corporations were grouped into thirteen consortiums of industry and mining and one financial consortium, under which the banks of the region were united."

The executives, producers and owners are organised as follows:

"The Cartel is the syndicate, the grouping of all of the products produced in a similar way by the same method of manufacture, a system which they call in Germany horizontal organisation. The 'Konzern' is the vertical organisation,, that is to say, everything that has to do with the product from the first raw material up to the finished or half-finished product. That is to say, from coal to steel."

The situation is summed by The Times as follows:

"There are 887 stock companies with an invested capital equal to nearly $900,000,000 in the Ruhr. These companies have all been absorbed by thirteen great consortiums, while one new consortium directs their financial interests. At the head of the thirteen are the following industrial magnates or companies: Hugo Stinnes, Krupp, Haniel, Kloeckner, the Lotheringen, Hoesch, Mannesmann, Mansfield, the Phoenix, Rochling, Stumm, Thyssen and the Rheinische Stahlwerbe.

"These factories and mines have employed 1,000,000 men, 15,000 foremen, and 5,000 engineers. The great coal-fields which, for obvious reason, have recently only been operated scarcely up to 30 percent of their pre-war normal, of 90,000,000 tons per annum, are said to be capable of producing 100,000,000 tons per annum for a period of 764 years, above a depth of 5,000 feet.

In 1918—when the last trustworthy German figures were published—10,000,000 tons of steel were then turned out, which is rather more than 68 percent of the entire German production. In addition, the foundries of the region produced 40,000,000 tons of crude or half-worked iron."

The Ruhr

Approximate area	1,234 square miles
Approximate population	4,000,000
Laboring population	1,500,000
Coal-miners	500,000
Coal production in 1913	123,000,000 tons
Visible black coal reserve	54,000,000,000 tons
Visible brown coal reserve (lignite)	4,000,000,000 tons
Estimated unmined coal	220,000,000,000
Pig-iron production in 1913	5,000,000 tons
Steel production in 1918	10,000,000 tons
Stock companies operating	887
Invested capital	$900,000,000

Other industries—textile mills, iron and steel implements, machinery factories, linen mills, salt works, and coke ovens.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

"Dear daddy," said the lovely maid,
"Your burden's heavy, I'm afraid,
So I will help to bear it;
You've been so noble, daddy, dear,
You've worked so hard year after year
To keep my pathway always clear;
Now let me prove my merit."

"You have denied ourself so much,
So often yielded to my touch,
And been so truly splendid,
That now I can no longer bear
To be a burden or a care;
Cast off the fetters that you wear—
Your slaving shall be ended.

"My plans are made, my heart is set
On paying back the precious debt.
Dear daddy, that I owe you;
Please let me have the price I need—
It's very, very small, indeed—
And I will hastily proceed,
And lovingly, to show you."

Her tender urging touched his heart;
The tea room that she wished to start
Was opened with a flourish;
As only those with vision can,
The sweet girl joyously began
Developing the precious plan
That she had learned to nourish.

Her dear old dad, fagged out and gray,
Is working on day after day.
His brow much corrugated;
The fondest hope may be upset,
But dad may have his triumph yet;
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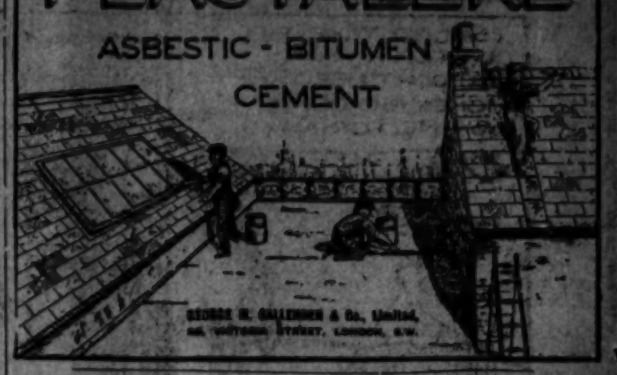

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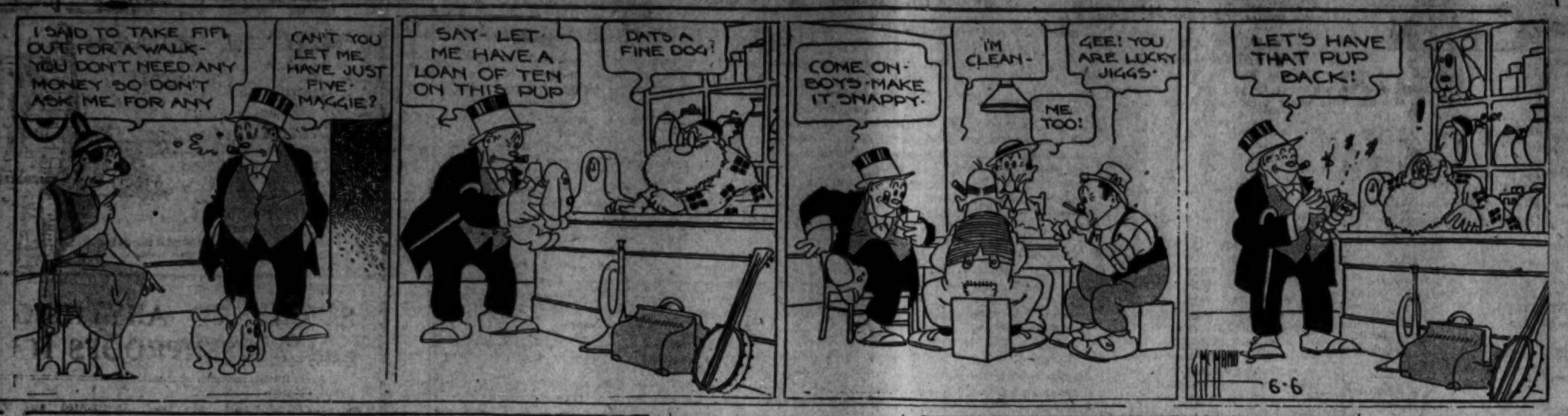
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LET'S HAVE THAT PUP BACK!
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Science Is Not The Enemy Of Religion

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

I have over and over asserted, in these articles, that there is no real conflict between science and religion, but that they occupy different fields, and that not only is it not the business of science to investigate religious dogmas, but science is not competent to undertake such investigation for the reason that its functions are necessarily confined to things that can be studied and verified by and through the senses.

Of course I claim no originality for these views, because they are self-evident to any one conversant with the methods of science, and in one form or another they have been expressed by many persons. At the same time I am gratified to see that Charles P. Steinmetz, in an address before the Schenectady Chapter of the Unitarian Layman's League, has also asserted the separateness of the fields of science and religion, and this without questioning the truth of religious conceptions, which, as he points out, must always rest on belief and not on scientific proof.

There can hardly be anyone who more fully understands what the real aims, methods and limitations of science are than does Dr. Steinmetz. And when a man of his experience in dealing with some of the most abstruse problems of nature and science affirms, as he did in his address, that "the negative answer of science on the question whether there are conceptive entities of infinite character, as infinity in time and space, immortality of the ego, God, etc., is not conclusive, and the question is still as open as it ever was"—when he says that, those who are so fearful that science may upset the foundations of religion ought to feel relieved at finding their fear unjustified.

On the other hand, those who are only too desirous that science should "disprove God and all that sort of thing" ought to take notice that science is neither trying nor going to try anything so futile.

It is often charged that scientific men are apt to be "atheists." I do not believe that that is true. On the other hand I am confident that there are more disbelievers in God outside than inside the scientific fold. The general attitude of the man of science is that he cannot represent God to his mind as he represents a scientific fact of nature. But aware of the imperfection of his knowledge and the limitations of his intellect, he does not reject the idea of a creative intelligence ruling the universe simply because his strictly sense-limited investigations fail to reveal and prove the existence of God.

He does not oppose religious dogmas unless they insist upon the existence of conditions in the physical world which he knows do not exist; and even then he does not go out of his way to attack religious beliefs. Robert G. Ingersoll was not a scientist, and as far as his celebrated attacks on religion go, he did not exhibit any scientific knowledge. It is very unjust to saddle upon the back of science any responsibility whatever for the assertions and notions of professed, and (as they sometimes show themselves to be) fanatical atheists.

It is pathetic to behold earnest, honest hearted men, throwing away the cause that they would give their lives to maintain by binding it hand and foot with the cords of tradition and then casting it madly under the wheels of advancing science, which would gladly, if it could, refrain from crushing the helpless victim. That spectacles we are compelled to look upon in the present war of dogmatic theology against the doctrines of evolution. Essential religion, however, is not concerned in this war.

In Dr. Steinmetz's address an exceedingly clear statement is made of the nature of the limitation of science. "Our senses," says he, "can perceive only finite things, but cannot perceive the infinite. No reasoning from any foundation can put anything into the conclusions which is not found in the foundation, and thus, with our sense perceptions finite, all conclusions from them—that is the entire structure of science—are limited to the finite.

Thus the proof of the non-existence in science of the conception of God, immortality, etc., really means nothing except that we cannot get by reasoning a conclusion which is not contained in the premises with which we started our reasoning."

Getting Angry Puts You Out Of Tune With Life

BY J. J. MUNDY

"Nothing is worth getting mad about" is the philosophy of one man.

It seems a strong statement but is it not a good and true one?

You have been peeved and angry several times today but gained nothing.

Did you feel any better when the "fit" was over, and you had time to think about it calmly?

As a matter of fact you felt worse, and were actually ashamed of what you said, did and thought.

You have felt uneasy ever since your "spell."

Getting angry this very morning has put out of tune today.

You have missed a lot of happy times and much enjoyment by letting your emotions get beyond your control.

Can you think of any way in which you benefited by your display or temper?

It is true that becoming angry robs you of joy for an entire day, so why permit yourself to follow an angry impulse any day?

Is there anything really worth while getting mad about?

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"Well, that other fellow that opened a store in our town is getting all my trade. Five women from Kansas fought two hours in front of his store day before yesterday. Each of them said she was his wife. He acknowledged having smothered three and said he had a couple more in Ohio. Everybody in town is tradin' with him now, and I've got to get even. Just say, too, will you, that I'm a prise fighter and inherit delirium tremens from an aunt. Don't forget it now: something's got to be done to restore confidence."

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Call a pretty girl a witch
And she all do her best to charm you
Tell an old maid she's a witch,
And she certainly will harm you.
Thus you see how hard it is to please them all,
Call a pretty maiden "puss,"
And she'll archly smile upon you.
Call an ancient one a "cat,"
She will grab an axe and run you.
The same name will not fit them all, at all—
If you call your girl a "mouse,"
She will think it cute and pretty.
If unto an aged spinster
You say "rats," you have our pity—
Thus you see you need not try to please them all.

Bobbie And His Pa

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

I saw my old pal Biff McGee today, sed Pa to Ma last night, poor old Biff, he has got a low bank account & high blood preshur, sed Pa.

Have I got high blood preshur? sed me to Pa.

No, Bobbie, sed Pa, you haven't got high blood preshur, you are just a littel kid, sed Pa. Tha: high blood preshur, as a rule, Bobbie, sed Pa, cume from yeers of fast going, sed Pa tho not always. Sum vary fine peepul that has led blaimless lifes gits it, sed Pa, but genrally speeking, sed Pa, soft living mariks hard arty-rys & high blood preshur, sed Pa.

Deer me, sed Ma, isent it a shaim that peepul have to git silk & be alo-ing? sed Ma. My deer old dad used to say that this life was ⅓ of it spent on foning a docktor & the other ⅔ of life was spent paying docktor, sed Ma.

Yure old gent was kinda cu- wasent he? sed Pa. He sed a moar speed than most men, Pa.

The vary idee, sed Ma, ther was always sumthing a delicat ter, sed Ma. He was never ackilly sick in bed Ma, but he not roe-bust.

Ha ha, sed Pa, that's a one. Why, sed Pa, yure old had a stummick like a ostrich sed Pa. Day by day in every It got tuffer, sed Pa. Mor ate canned food he ate can a Pa sed. There was sum iron yure old gent, sed Pa. Bo end Faze him, sed Pa.

I will not have you speek of my deer old father, sed Ma cud see in Ma's eyes, that was good & huffery, she looked at Pa like she looks at me she da going to smank me.

Well, folks, I set to Pa & let us not speek of the moar, I sed. I am sorry to hear lieen to my two littl jabbering at each other. I sed. I guess wots dont ber, but I sed it anyhow. I kind of rattled.

Deer littel Bobbie, sed Ma dessent like to see his father malking it unpleasant his deer mother. Do you, Bo sed Ma.

I think you are both you kind of mewlish, I sed. time I want to study my I sed, you & Pa git to arg about sumthing & then I studdy & I will grow up to done-hed & maybe argew all time like what you & Pa are I sed.

Bobbie, sed Pa, I dount wether to spank you or le git away with it, sed Pa. Pa kind of laffing under his tash, I see it wiggel. Tha a good sine I aint going treeted ruff, wen Pa's mu wiggels. I dount know any to put in this essay so I will now.

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:-: Do's And Dont's :-:

BY RITA WEIMAN

When are restrictions regulations? When are the do's of this life don'ts? Is it better to have a list of the things you can do than a list of the things you can't? How often does the law really punish the real law breaker? How often does fear blind judgment?

Ask the small boy and he'll tell you life is just one darn don't after another. Ask the man grown, and he'll tell you the same thing. But ask the man in his advancing years—he'll tell you that there are no restrictions at all and that it is quite easy to live within the regulations the law and custom and convention have laid down. To the young, restrictions are never regulations. To the old it's the other way round. But the thing that always puzzles me is the fact that we make no kick against restriction when they are being framed and formed: then immediately rise up in rebellion the instant they become regulations!

Take prohibition, for instance. The Eighteenth Amendment did not slip into the Constitution by a rear door. There was nothing sneaky about its entrance. It marched steadily toward its goal, encountering only the mildest kind of opposition all the way. It didn't even have to ring the bell. The door was flung open to it. But the instant it came to stay—the minute it took the best guest-room in the house and made itself comfortable—the whole family of these United States rose up and tried to put it out. There was protest and threat. And now it is as completely ignored as if it were not under the same roof.

At first, in restaurants and in hotels, men sheepishly pulled flasks from their pockets, and, under table, poured out two fingers or more, feeling at the time pretty much like the small his fingers in a lemon pie. But now there isn't the slightest attempt at subterfuge or evasion. boy who may be caught poking. We have any number of restaurants in town quite willing to supply you with any kind of vintage at any kind of price except a low one.

It isn't defiance of the law. It's complete and absolute ignoring of the fact that any such law exists. The dont that prohibited liquor merely succeeded in making the liquor dealers rich. And I haven't the slightest doubt that if the Volstead Act were repealed all the bootleggers in the country would rise up in protest, demanding their right to maintain a law that is making millions for them.

Take censorship. People who knew only that certain companies were putting out pictures that offended good taste put through the censorship bill. The big American public which looks to the pictures for its amusement made no protest—weren't even interested. As a result there exist certain rescrictions as to what the screen may show that seem almost to have been created for kindergarten usage. Those who go to the movies cry out against paying for the illogical and very often hopelessly bad pictures, without the slightest realisation that when those pictures are made, the list of don'ts that is handed a director, due to the censorship law, is so rigid that often the story has to be twisted out of all semblance to its original form. This is done in order that those who are spending money on it may show it to the public at all.

In one picture I know of the censors insisted upon a woman dying in an automobile accident instead of being divorced, because divorce was a bad example to set the public. Yet any one picking up a newspaper any day can't fail to read in its columns of more crime, more unpleasant social conditions and more indecent politics than the screen could exhibit to them in a year.

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Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Chihli left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Fooshing left Hongkong yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang left Hongkong on Tuesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow on Tuesday, Aug. 21.

The I-C. s.s. Ekang is due in Shanghai from Canton and Hongkong on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Wosang is due in Shanghai from Newchwang and Antung tomorrow.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning and docked at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The O. S. K. s.s. Seikyo Maru left Dairen yesterday morning and is due in Shanghai about 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The steamer will dock at the O. S. K. Wharf, and is to sail for Keelung via Foochow on Monday.

The K. M. A. s.s. Shinon (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C. M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Sunday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Niigata Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama today and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki this morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer is to sail for the same port early tomorrow morning.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Rokko Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Nagoya next Saturday and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, from the P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, is expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai today.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Karmala left London on Friday, August 3, at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about Sept. 12.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere left Marseilles on Friday, August 10, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about September 14.

The P. & O. s.s. Nellore is due to leave London tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on September 26.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Lycaon left Singapore on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong on August 19.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Hakone Maru will leave Shanghai for London via ports at daylight Saturday, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir will leave Shanghai for London early Saturday afternoon, and the tender with outgoing passengers and hand baggage for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 12 o'clock noon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the lighter alongside the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Norwegian, Africa and Anstralia Line s.s. Yarra, from Christiania, left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due to arrive in Shanghai next Saturday.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenshane is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London on Saturday.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantua, from London on July 20, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai at 5 o'clock Saturday evening.

The M.M. s.s. Chambord, which docked at the E.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf yesterday, will sail for Marseilles via ports at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and passengers are requested to embark at the wharf after one o'clock. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's office before noon today.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Stanley Dollar was due to leave New York for the Orient on Wednesday, Aug. 8.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar was due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on Wednesday, Aug. 8.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet is due in Shanghai from Portland on August 26, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on Aug. 28.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Keats will arrive in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, August 30, and is to sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on September 1.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant which left Seattle on August 6, should dock at the Yokohama next Saturday, and is expected in Shanghai on Aug. 23.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison is due to leave Seattle on Saturday, August 18, and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 4.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson will arrive in Shanghai from Manila and Hongkong at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The T.K.K. s.s. Shinyo Maru, from San Francisco on July 26, left Yokohama last Sunday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday morning. The steamer will sail for Hongkong that evening.

The S. and B. s.s. West Faralon will arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 1, and is to sail for Hongkong and Manila Sept. 3.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on September 3 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila Sept. 6.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln left San Francisco last Monday and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on Sept. 2.

The T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru will arrive at Woosung from Manila early this morning, and is to sail for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 9:30 o'clock, and the dispatch tender with passengers and baggage for Woosung will leave the jetty at 4 p.m.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Agamemnon, from New York, left Milke yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The O.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, from Vancouver on August 9, should dock at Yokohama next Monday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on August 24.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce arrived in Shanghai from San Francisco early yesterday morning, and docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 5 o'clock this evening.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Taiyo Maru	July 19
President Lincoln	July 21
President Taft	Aug. 4
Acme	Aug. 12

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia	July 14
Stuart Dollar	July 24
Canadian Transporter	July 31
Empress of Canada	July 31
N. D. de Fourviere	Aug. 8
Empress of Russia	Aug. 12

FOR SEATTLE

President Grant	July 13
Arizona Maru	July 16
West Kader	July 16
President Madison	July 24
Eldridge	Aug. 1
Yokohama Maru	Aug. 4
Harold Dollar	Aug. 5
President McKinley	Aug. 5

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West O'Rowa	July 24
West Jessup	Aug. 6

FOR NEW YORK

Genoa Maru	July 12
Hamburg Maru	July 14
Langton Hall	July 20
Gothic Prince	July 21
Independence	July 22
Virginia Dollar	July 24
Manila Maru	July 25
City of Madras	Aug. 2
Talthybius	Aug. 9
Egremont Castle	Aug. 12
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 10

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Troilus	July 11
Ningchow	July 13
Atsuta Maru	July 14
Glentara	July 17
Helenus	July 18
Devanha	July 21
Peleus	July 25
Kashima Maru	July 28
Sarpedon	Aug. 2
Khiva	Aug. 4
Tytan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 13
Laomedon	Aug. 14

FOR HAMBURG

City of Manchester	July 19
City of Pekin	July 24
Emil Kirdorf	July 28
Glenlofer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 16

FOR COPENHAGEN

Panama	July 12
Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oldekerk	July 14
Saeler	Aug. 5

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Aug. 3

FOR MARSEILLES

Porthos	July 20
Angkor	Aug. 3
Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13

FOR INDIA

Nagpore	July 14
Torilla	July 21
Hosang	July 25
Soudan	Aug. 3

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping, for Chinwangtao will leave the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru, for San Francisco will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Hakone Maru, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at 5 p.m.

Saturday, August 18, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. Kashmir, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at 12 noon.

Steamers Arrived

Aug. 14—Albert Voegler from Hamburg
Aug. 14—Dongola from London
Aug. 14—Kwangping from C'tao
Aug. 15—H. N'shao from Ningpo
Aug. 15—H. Peking from Ningpo
Aug. 15—Ningshin from F'chow
Aug. 15—Chunlee from Dairen
Aug. 15—Kienhsin from Foochow
Aug. 15—Altair from Cruise
Aug. 15—Taksang from Tsingtao
Aug. 15—Fausang from Tientsin
Aug. 15—Alaska M. from H'kong
Aug. 15—P. Pierce from S. F'cisco
Aug. 15—Kutwo from Hankow
Aug. 15—Tatung from Hankow
Aug. 15—Talee M. from Hankow
Aug. 15—C. of Boston from Jap.
Aug. 15—Kashmir from Japan
Aug. 15—Sakaki M. from Dairen
Aug. 15—Chambord from Japan
Aug. 15—Kumano M. from Jap.
Aug. 15—Taito M. from Dairen

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, AUG. 16, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 3 and 3 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4½ h; at neaps, 2 h.
fall, at spring 3½ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 30m.	14ft. 3in.	2h. 50m.	10ft. 10in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
1	32	1	52

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
9.10 a.m.	9.20 p.m.	5h. 27m.	6h. 41m.	4h. 42m.	7h. 26m.

Mean Barometric Pressure.
August 29.71 in.
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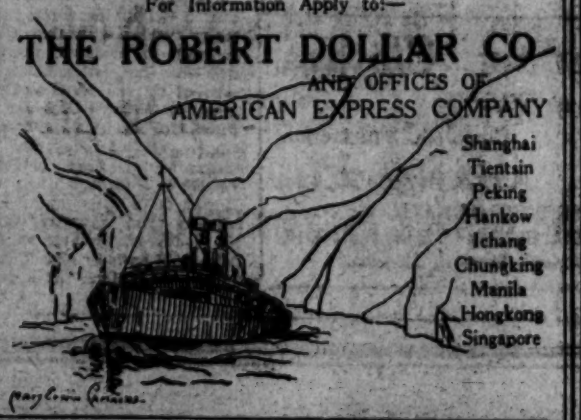

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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	2 p.m.	Tenyo Maru	S. Francisco	Sep. 6
Aug. 17	10.30 a.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle	Sep. 2
Aug. 17	9 p.m.	P. Cleveland	S. Francisco	Sep. 6

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Aug. 17	12 noon	Chamberd	Marseilles	Sep. 21
Aug. 18	10 a.m.	Kashmir	Marseilles	Sep. 18

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Hainwah
W'wei, Chefoo and T'sin	Today	7.30 a.m.	Fausang
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	12.30 p.m.	Ningpo
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Today	9 p.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao and Dairy	Today	12.30 p.m.	Sakaki Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Aug. 18	8.30 a.m.	Fengtien
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Aug. 18	9 p.m.	Tingsang
Tsingtao	Aug. 18	12.30 p.m.	Soochow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Taksang
Amoy	Today	12.30 p.m.	Liangchow
Hongkong & Canton	Today	3 p.m.	P. Pierce
Foochow	Today	5 p.m.	Ningchia
Swatow	Aug. 17	9 p.m.	Szechuen
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 17	12 noon	Chambord
Hongkong & Canton	Aug. 17	3 p.m.	Hakone M.
Amoy	Aug. 18	9 p.m.	Sinkiang
Swatow	Aug. 18	9 p.m.	Yusang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Germany, ports	Today	11 p.m.	Goettingen
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	3 p.m.	†P. Pierce
Japan ports	Today	3 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Aug. 17	3 p.m.	Hakone M.
Japan ports	Aug. 17	3 p.m.	Kumano Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Short...	Date	Name	Type
F N B	Aug. 15	Altair	Fr. Gun-boat
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
M C W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
I C	Aug. 3	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 28	Manila	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 23	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat

Meteorological Reports

August 16, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.21
Sun sets today at 18.52

SICCAWEI

(Inches)	August 2.		August 4.	
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	29.67	29.72	29.71	29.75
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	-0.01	0.00	†0.01	†0.02
Wind—direction	-0.03	-0.01	†0.04	†0.03
Wind—miles per hour	SSE	SE	SE	SSE
Temperature (Fahr.)	19.3	13.0	12.4	14.3
Humidity %	92°0	79°5	76°5	86°2
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	80	95	93	70
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	1	0	5	3
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SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT

August 3.	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.70	-0.402	29.68
Temperature (Min. 76°5) (Fahr.) & (Max. 94°7)	88°6	-1°6	81°3
Rainfall (inches)	32.02	0.00	23.51

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Aug. 16 —	New York	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 16 4.30	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 17 1.00	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. S. Line
Aug. 18 —	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 21 —	Seattle	Africa Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 23 —	Portland	W. O'Rowa	Am. Columbia Pac.
Aug. 23 —	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 25 —	New York	Eelbeck	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 25 —	Vancouver	C. Highlander	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 27 —	Vancouver	†E.of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 28 —	Portland	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 29 —	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. S. Line
Aug. 30 —	New York via Suez	Antiochus	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 —	Portland, Ore.	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 1 —	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 4 —	Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 6 —	New York	Lisbon Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 7 —	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 8 —	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep. 9 —	Seattle	Shidzuoka M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 10 —	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 13 —	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 —	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 20 —	Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 23 —	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 24 —	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 25 —	New York	Wm. Penn	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 29 —	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 4 —	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 13 —	San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 20 —	Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Aug. 15 noon	Kobe	Janus	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 15 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 16 —	Yokkaichi, Y'hama	Chikugo M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 17 —	Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Dongola	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 17 —	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 18 —	Moji, Kobe	Kumano M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 18 —	Kobe, Yokohama	Mishima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 21 —	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 22 —	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Aug. 17	12.30	Bombay	Alipore	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 17	3.00	Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 18	noon	London	†Kashmir	Br. M. M. Co.
Aug. 18	D.L.	London	Hakone M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 25	—	Marseilles	Matsuyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 25	—	Hamburg, etc.	Glenbeg	Br. G. L. B. L.
Aug. 25	—	London	Suwa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 27	—	Liverpool, etc.	Agamemnon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 27	—	Marseilles	Durban Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 30	—	Calcutta	Janus	Br. M. M. & Co.
Aug. 30	—	London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31	—	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Co.
Sep. 4	—	London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 5	—	Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 7	—	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Sep. 12	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Agapenor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13	—	Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 14	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Co.
Sep. 15	—	London	†Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 19	—	Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28	—	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Co.
Oct. 2	—	London	Mantua	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 6	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Kertosono	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Oct. 12	—	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Co.
Oct. 26	—	Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Co.
Oct. 31	—	London	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Sept. 1	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 19	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3	—	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Aug. 16	10.00	Foochow	Ningchia	Chi. E.P.S.N. Co.
Aug. 16	4.00	Ningpo	Yungchin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 16	4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangtsen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 16	2.00	A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 16	noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Taksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 16	5.00	H'kong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 17	4.45	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 17	5.00	Ningpo	Tsin Ningchao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Aug. 18	—	Hongkong, Manila	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 18	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 19	D.L.	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 19	—	Hongkong	Hawaii Maru	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 19	D.L.	Swatow, Hongkong	Yusang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 24	—	H'kong, Manila	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 24	—	Hongkong	E. of Asia	Jap. O. S. K.
Aug. 25	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 1	—	Hongkong, Manila	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
Sept. 3	—	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 3	—	Hongkong, Manila	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Sep. 4	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sept. 6	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 7	—	Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sept. 14	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sept. 15	—	Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Aug. 16	2.00	Chefoo, Tientsin	N'ngpo	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 16	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'sin	Tungchow	Br.
Aug. 16	10.00*	Chenwangtao	Kolping	Br. K.M.A.
Aug. 16	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'sin	Fausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 16	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Aug. 16	2.00	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki M	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 16	noon	Dairen	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 17	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hupeh	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 18	10.00*	W. C'foo, T'sin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 18	2.00	Tsingtao	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 19	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'sin	Tingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 20	—	Vladivostok	Proteus	Dut. A.D.S.Co.
Aug. 21	2.00	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 23	—	Dairen etc.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Aug. 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Aug. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Sniwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.

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Pantry & kitchen as usual electric fittings throughout
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Huerta About To Realise Two Of His Main Ambitions

One Is Consummation Of His Agreement With Bankers For Mexico's Payment On Debt; The Other His Central Bank Of Issue

BY EDWIN J. CLAPP

Mexico City.—Finance Minister de la Huerta of Mexico is about to realise one of his two main ambitions: namely, the consummation of his 1922 agreement with the International Bankers for the resumption of Mexico's payments on her foreign indebtedness. In the next ten days, Mr. Lamont is expected to call for the deposit of Mexican bonds and commence interest payments upon them.

De la Huerta's other ambition is the establishment of the Banco Unico, or central bank of issue.

It is desperately needed in Mexico today, devoid of paper money and dependent on bulky silver pesos for currency. One of the sights of Mexico is to see the process of a business man making a bank deposit of say $3,000. In the United States we send a employe with a bankbook and a pocketful of bank notes strapped with a rubber band. Down here the same deposit is made by two men with a wheelbarrow full of bags of silver.

Payroll robberies in Mexico are less numerous than in the States because it is physically difficult to get off with enough Mexican money to make the robbery worth while. An airplane carries the weekly payroll of the Transcontinental and Corona Companies from Tampico to Cacililao, the new producing oil field in the Panuco district. When the bags are dropped in front of the camps on Saturday noon, they produce somewhat the effect of meteors.

There is an enormous waste of time and clerical labor in the big stores, counting, checking and verifying the masses of silver handled every day; and in the banks, verifying deposits. Imagine the increase of clerical forces that would be necessary if business in New York were transacted in silver dollars. All this is apart from the nuisance of having to carry burdensome quantities of silver on the person. Some of us can remember how it was in this country in the West, thirty years ago.

A further fault in the Mexican currency system is that it has no expansible elements. In the United States the volume of currency varies with the seasonal demands of business, the expansion and contraction being taken care of by the issue and retirement of Federal Reserve notes. There is a real currency famine in western Mexico today, due to the demands for crop movements. Yet De la Huerta has had to stop coining more silver pesos because recently their quantity threatened to depreciate their value and drive gold entirely out of circulation. The silver in a peso is worth about 70 percent of the gold value of the coined peso. In other words, it is "token" money, like our silver dollar.

The situation would not be so bad if Mexico had a banking system whose expanding and contracting loans and credits took care of the changing needs of trade. But Victoiano Huerta and Carranza wrecked the banks of Mexico, and they must be rebuilt.

Before the revolution, Mexico had a solid banking system. There were two central concessionary banks of issue and deposit in Mexico City, the French Bank of Mexico and the (likewise French) Bank of London. They had branches all over the country. Likewise, for each State, the Federal government chartered one bank of issue, also a bank of deposit. The notes of these issue banks had a 50 percent cover, were current and sound.

Huerta, the old Indian, forced the banks to multiply their note issue and give him the proceeds —in the form of a loan. The notes, of course, depreciated, and Carranza deprived them of all value by opening the bank vaults and simply stealing their metal reserves. Public confidence in paper money was completely wrecked by the $500,000,000 of "unfalsifiables" which Carranza issued without any backing whatever. They became a sort of ruble money.

BANKS GIVEN SIX PERCENT

De La Huerta has given the banks 6 percent government bonds for the money Carranza took, and is paying interest on those bonds. You will notice an item of $4,000,000 for such interest, and repayment of the bonds in the 1923 Federal budget. De La Huerta has retired the Carranza "unfalsifiables" by taking them in part payment of taxes, and destroying them. But public confidence in bank notes and paper money is slow to return.

Today there is in Mexico almost no banking as we know it. No paper money of any kind circulates. Commercial loans are made by only a few banks on the best of security and at the rate of 1½ percent or 2 percent monthly. Their loaning power is restricted by the fact that both American and Mexican business houses still tend to keep their funds in the United States. Banks along our Southern border are said to be foes of recognition because it will mean the establishment of the Banco Unico and the loss of Mexican deposits. Today the main business of most banks still operating in Mexico is foreign exchange and not the financing of domestic trade.

When Kuhl, Loeb and their associates lend the French bankers $35,000,000 to establish the Banco Unico in Mexico, it will mean more than any other one thing in the revival of business life in this country. It will mean that the bankers of the world feel that Mexico is made safe for their capital, and this will affect the attitude of all forms of capital.

The American and French bankers are right in requiring that, before the money comes down and the bank is established, they shall be assured of the soundest and most conservative basis for its success, as in the matter of note issue and freedom from Government interference. Government influence and interference has acquired such a reputation in this country that Senor De la Huerta will be wise to eliminate it as far as possible from his Banco Unico.

Dry America Buys Gems, Not Liquor

London.—England's diamond industry is the latest field of British industry to be affected by American prohibition, for the profits of the Scottish liquor dealers are being rivalled by those of the Hatton Garden diamond magnates. These dealers are experiencing an increased demand for precious stones throughout America.

The explanation, according to the report of the Federation of British Industries, is that Americans are spending some of their former liquor money for precious stones. At any rate, the United States is the world's largest consumer of gems of all kinds.

Some of the leading American firms, noted for handling the finest and purest stones, have lately been interesting themselves in seconds or slightly spotted ones, indicating that a new class of buyer is being developed.

The demand for diamonds is steadily increasing, but emeralds remain the most precious and rarest stones, costing considerably more today than do diamonds of the same quality. Emeralds are becoming scarcer on the markets, due to the inroads made on the available supply by the decree of fashion that these stones be worn.

The fact also that an emerald was selected by Princess Mary for her engagement ring and that an emerald necklace was worn by the Queen at a recent Court have combined in making the stones even more sought after than a few years ago. The supply is said to have fallen below the demand and comparatively few the stones are procurable. No stocks in any quantity or variety seem to exit and the actual rarity of the gems seems to imply that they will be worth even more in the near future.

Shanghai Couple Narrowly Escape In Boat Wreck

The wrecking of a crowded Chinese passenger houseboat Monday while attempting to pass beneath the bridge at Teh-tsing nearly cost the lives of Mr. and Mrs. H. Trevor-Smith, imperilled nearly 200 Chinese passengers and resulted in the drowning of one Chinese woman and her baby, it became known in Shanghai yesterday.

Towed by a launch, the houseboat had left Mokanshan Sunday morning, arriving at Teh-tsing late that night, but the swollen condition of the river following the typhoon forced a delay and the passage beneath the bridge was not attempted until 7.30 Monday morning.

Despite the abnormally high water the launch passed safely beneath the bridge, but the houseboat smashed into the buttresses of the structure, splintered into kindling wood and buried its unfortunate passengers into the whirling waters. The launch steamed away, Mrs. Smith said, heedless of the calls of the frantic passengers, who kept afloat on such bits of wreckage as they could grasp and only returned after a frenzied appeal by a wealthy Chinese merchant. Coolies leaped into the water to aid in the rescue work, saving of all the passengers except the Chinese woman and her child.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were taken in by a Chinese family in the village, returning to Shanghai yesterday clad in borrowed Chinese clothing and apparently none the worse for their nerve-racking experience.

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